

Vietnamese Hack Deeper in Big Push

By ROBERT TUCKMAN
Associated Press Writer

SAIGON (AP) — South Vietnamese infantrymen hacked their way deeper into the U Minh Forest today and reported 59 Viet Cong killed in the first three days of the 7,000-man drive into the enemy stronghold at the southern end of Vietnam.

Field reports said only one South Vietnamese infantryman had been killed and six wounded in the sporadic, light contacts.

The mangrove swamps and forbidding jungle 140 miles southwest of Saigon have been a major Viet Cong hideout base for a decade. Repeated attempts to clean out the area have failed.

Before the campaign started Tuesday, U.S. B52 bombers pounded the area in two raids. The infantrymen advanced under the cover of helicopter gunships whose fast-firing crews claimed about half of the enemy reported killed so far.

The U.S. Command reported the B52s struck again in the Mekong Delta during the night on the northern edge of the U Minh Forest. The command said the big bombers hit base camps, bunkers and storage areas on the Gulf of Siam near Rach Gia, about 150 miles southwest of Saigon. There was speculation that the raid might be the forerunner of a ground operation.

Elsewhere in the Mekong Delta, the South Vietnamese said government troops killed 35 Viet Cong at a cost of three wounded in three small engagements ranging from 30 miles southeast of Saigon to 120 miles southwest of the capital.

In the central part of the country a big search operation continued for two U.S. transport planes missing since Friday and Sunday. No trace has been found, and there was little hope for any of the 38 Americans and 85 Vietnamese aboard the planes. The search has been hampered all week by fog and low clouds over the mountain area.

A Cambodian military spokesman in Phnom Penh reported that the Communist command is pouring reinforcements into the Cambodian government's northern front, possibly for a fresh round in the offensive it began nearly a month ago.

The Cambodians have some 32,000 men in the area, but many are isolated or deployed on security missions to guard towns and bridges. The spokesman said a South Vietnamese task force is expected to move into the eastern part of the area to ease the pressure on the Cambodians.

Obituaries

BEALE AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (AP) — Retired Rear Adm. Herbert James Ray, 77, commander of U.S. naval forces in the Philippines at the time Pearl Harbor was attacked, died Thursday. Later in World War II, he was on the staff of Gen. Douglas MacArthur. He also served for a time as commander of the battleship USS Maryland.

SCARBOROUGH, Maine (AP) — Fred H. Snow, 81, onetime clam digger who became known as the "clam chowder king," died Thursday. He was founder and former owner of the F. H. Snow Canning Co., and pioneered in the canning of clams and other seafoods.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Sister Frederica, 73, Roman Catholic nun who founded the Sisters of Social Service of Los Angeles, an order with branches also in Oregon, Formosa and Mexico, died Tuesday.

Weather

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a.m. Friday, High 76, Low 38.

Forecast

ARKANSAS — Considerable sunshine Saturday. Clear and cool tonight. Little change in the temperatures Saturday. High Saturday in the low 60s to the low 70s. Low tonight mostly in the 40s.

Weather Elsewhere

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

High Low Pr.

Albany, rain	56	38	..
Albuquerque, clear	56	27	..
Atlanta, clear	72	58	..
Bismarck, cloudy	21	-5	..
Boise, clear	44	38	.07
Boston, rain	57	43	.23
Buffalo, rain	50	43	.59
Charlotte, clear	73	59	..
Chicago, snow	71	35	..
Cincinnati, clear	69	40	.06
Cleveland, rain	60	38	.32
Denver, clear	53	25	..
Des Moines, clear	60	22	..
Detroit, rain	60	36	.15
Fairbanks, snow	-36	-41	..
Fort Worth, clear	83	45	..
Helena, cloudy	37	27	.06
Honolulu, M	M	M	M
Indianapolis, cloudy	65	31	.35
Jacksonville, cloudy	77	56	..
Juneau, clear	-1	-4	..
Kansas City, clear	68	32	..
Los Angeles, clear	66	50	..
Louisville, clear	72	43	.14
Memphis, clear	75	47	..
Miami, cloudy	M	M	.02
Milwaukee, snow	60	29	.20
Mpls.-St.P., clear	39	19	.08
New Orleans, fog	81	59	..
New York, rain	64	50	.09
Oklahoma City, clear	71	37	..
Omaha, clear	55	23	..
Philadelphia, cloudy	63	52	..
Phoenix, clear	70	35	..
Pittsburgh, cloudy	58	39	.56
Plind, Me., rain	52	43	M
Plind, Ore., clear	47	32	.61
Rapid City, cloudy	51	20	..
Richmond, cloudy	68	61	..
St. Louis, clear	73	36	..
Salt Lk. City, cloudy	44	37	..
San Diego, cloudy	62	50	..
San Fran., rain	56	55	.96
Seattle, cloudy	42	35	.12
Tampa, clear	80	60	..
Washington, clear	62	49	.04
Winnipeg, cloudy	12	10	.05

Proclamation

WHEREAS Nearly 1,600 members of the Armed Forces of the United States are officially listed either as missing in action or as prisoners-of-war in Southeast Asia; and

WHEREAS These men have suffered and continue to suffer pain, imprisonment, deprivation of their rights, prolonged separation from their loved ones, and the peculiar mental and physical anguish which is the unique lot of the prisoner-of-war; and

WHEREAS Their wives, children, parents and other relatives in the United States suffer with them the agony of separation and of loneliness; and

WHEREAS These men have carried out, and continue to carry out their duties to their country in accordance with their principles and pursuant to directions of the American people whom they are defending; and

WHEREAS It is entirely just and in accord with humanitarian instincts that we, the American People, remember these men, cherish their contributions to our security, and pray for their safety and their speedy return to their homes and families;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Frank Douglas, Mayor of the City of Hope, Arkansas DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE Week of 7th to 14th of December, 1970 as PRISONER OF WAR WEEK in the city of Hope, Arkansas, and I urge citizens to show their respect and concern for these servicemen and to join me in praying for their release.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Hope to be affixed.

Banks Drop Rates on Small Loans

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Three major banks have reduced interest rates for typical small loan borrowers, enabling the man on the street to benefit from the current downward trend in the cost of money.

The Chase Manhattan Bank of New York, third largest in the nation, joined the shift Thursday with an across the board reduction of about one-half per cent in interest charges on all types of consumer installment loans up to \$5,000.

On Wednesday, in San Francisco, the Bank of America, the nation's largest, and the Wells Fargo Bank announced similar actions. Several other banks were reported considering the move.

The cut affects small business loans and home improvement, vacation and personal loans. Conventional home mortgages are not affected by the action.

Defense Rests on Trial of Sheriff

MARION, Ark. (AP)—Sheriff Marion Thomas of Crittenden County, who is being tried on two of seven charges of embezzlement, took the witness stand on his own behalf in Circuit Court here Thursday.

Thomas, who was suspended as sheriff and re-elected to the post in November, is being tried on charges of embezzling \$528.78 and \$572.59. Thomas was the last witness to testify before the defense rested its case.

The state contends that Thomas made out checks in these amounts to a Little Rock clothing store for merchandise that was not delivered. The state says the clothing store owner cashed the checks and either sent Thomas cash or paid another firm for articles that the state contends Thomas put to his own use. The state says Thomas then received reimbursement from the county for these amounts.

A special audit by the prosecutor's office lists more than \$52,000 in what it considers irregularities in the manner the sheriff's office handled county funds. Thomas contends the charges are the result of a political "vendetta."

Ralph York, president of Farrior's Inc., a Little Rock uniform and equipment company, testified Wednesday that he had dummied several invoices at Thomas' suggestion, including the ones for \$528.78 and \$572.59. York testified that at Thomas' suggestion he cashed the check for \$528.78 and sent the dummy invoice and the cash to the sheriff. York said the other "dummy" invoice was sent to Thomas and Thomas' check for that amount was used to pay a men's clothing store in North Little Rock for clothing ordered by Thomas.

Thomas denied that he had received any money from York for the alleged bogus invoices. Thomas also testified that he had received about \$1,700 annually from York for the five years he has been in office.

York had said the money came from Southland Racing Corp. at West Memphis. Southland officials have testified that it has been the company's practice to employ off-duty county deputies at the dog racing track operated by Southland and to furnish uniforms for the officers.

Thomas said York had told him after he was elected in 1964 that Southland officials wanted the money to go to the sheriff for providing security at the track.

"Overage" involving Southland parimutuel tickets was also brought up during Thursday's testimony. This is money gained from uncashed betting tickets, and its handling by Thomas, as tax collector, was the first alleged "irregularity" revealed by the prosecutor's office.

Under a 1965 state law, winning betting tickets that are not cashed within 180 days are divided equally between the State Police, the county and the corporation.

Thomas testified that he had kept the money for the last four years and records show that the money allegedly involved, more than \$26,000, has been repaid.

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Hoover Stays as FBI Head

WASHINGTON (AP) — A White House spokesman says J. Edgar Hoover will continue as director of the FBI despite his advancing years.

A reporter at a regular news briefing noted Thursday that Hoover will be 76 Jan. 1 and asked whether it was planned to reappoint him.

"I don't think reappointment is necessary—he stays on," was the reply by presidential press secretary Ronald L. Ziegler.

Hoover has headed the FBI since 1924.

Intern Powers Assumed by Irish Rule

DUBLIN (AP) — The Irish government tonight assumed sweeping powers to intern any citizen because of what it called "a secret armed conspiracy" against the state.

Prime Minister Jack Lynch said in a statement that Ireland's police forces had uncovered a plot to kidnap prominent personalities, carry out raids on banks and even attempt murder of leading officials.

He said he was taking Ireland out of the European Human Rights Convention in order to intern suspected citizens without trial.

Prince to Wed Commoner

COPENHAGEN (AP) — King Frederik's nephew, Prince Christian, 25, is planning to marry a commoner, Anne Dorthe Maltoff Nielsen, who works as a department store salesgirl.

The engagement was announced Thursday by his father, Prince Knud, the king's younger brother.

Miss Nielsen, a dark-eyed blonde, is the daughter of a Copenhagen business executive.

Calley Killed Civilians, Witness Says

FT. BENNING, Ga. (AP) — A member of Lt. William Calley's My Lai platoon testified that Calley fired point blank into two groups of screaming men, women and children. It was the first direct testimony of an alleged eye witness to the mass killing.

There was "just screaming and yelling. I guess they just tried to get up ... There were lots of heads and pieces of heads shot off ... and flesh flew off the sides and arms," said the witness, Pfc. Dennis Conti, Providence, R.I. "They was all messed up ... the bodies were messed up."

As Conti spoke, Calley's neck reddened, but he never took his eyes off the witness whose testimony is the most damaging to date.

Conti said he had been left guarding a group of Vietnamese on a trail, that Calley had told him to take care of them.

"I said all right and stood there and watched them," he said. Calley returned later and said, "I thought I told you to take care of these people," Conti said. "I said we are. We are watching them. He said, 'No, I mean kill them.'"

"He said we'll get in line and kill 'em. I said no. I've got a grenade launcher, so I'll watch the trees."

Conti said that with Calley at the time was Pfc. Paul David Meadlo, the former GI from Terre Haute, Ind., who refused Thursday to testify despite the fact that he was granted immunity. The judge has turned Meadlo's refusal to testify to civilian authorities.

Conti was asked what happened then.

"Then Calley and Meadlo got on the line. They opened up fire."

Conti, reciting the story al-

most matter of factly, said Meadlo fired a little bit "crying then said he couldn't do it any more and fire into the people any more."

"He gave me his weapon and put it in my hand. I said I wouldn't do it. Let Lt. Calley do it."

"If they are going to be killed, I'm not going to do it. Let Lt. Calley do it."

Then he said:

"Lt. Calley fired on 'em. Killed 'em one by one."

A writ of immunity from prosecution for Meadlo, 23, and another Calley platoon member, Allen Boyce, was signed by Maj. Gen. Orwin Talbott, commanding officer of this infantry base. Boyce then testified, but Meadlo stuck to the asserted protection of the Fifth Amendment.

The charge to be brought against Meadlo probably will be refusal to testify—akin to a contempt charge in a civilian court. Conviction carries a maximum sentence of six months in jail and a \$500 fine.

John A. Kessler, attorney for the pallid, soft-spoken Meadlo argued that the general's immunity writ "is nothing, it's meaningless. He's a citizen of the United States, he's entitled to the right to trial by jury ... he is in jeopardy and whether the general's grant of immunity is binding, nobody knows."

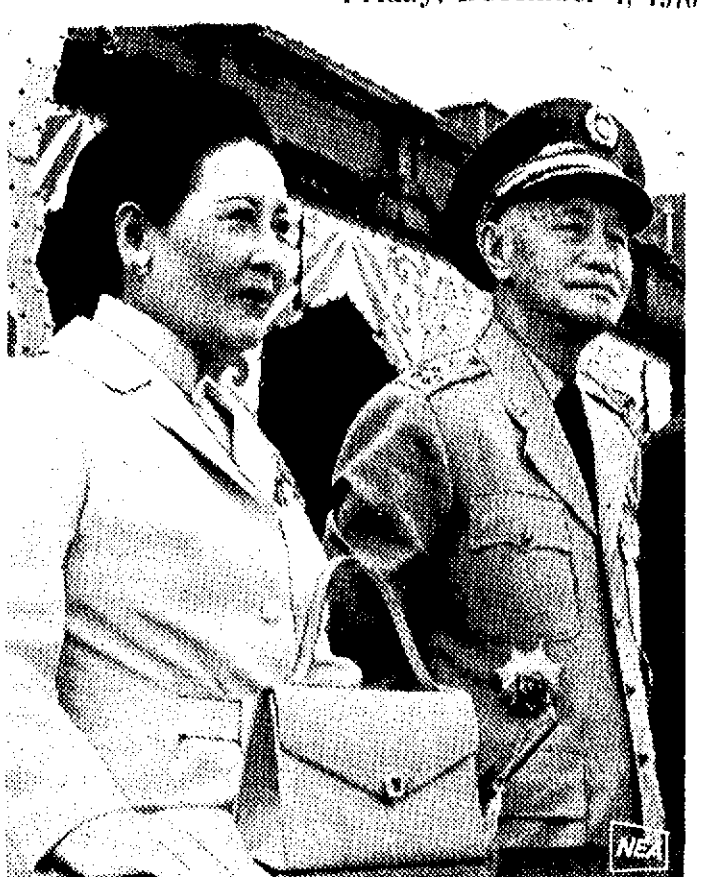
Small Children Perish in Fire

BENTONVILLE, Ark. (AP)—Two small children were killed this morning in an early morning fire that broke out in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith, here.

Fire department officials said the parents were hospitalized but escaped serious injury after a fire broke out in their home due to faulty wiring.

Officials speculated that the fire, which began in the living room, blocked the escape of the two children.

Authorities declined to release the names of the two children.



THOUSANDS CHEERED President and Madame Chiang Kai-shek at a Taipei rally celebrating Nationalist China's 59th founding anniversary. Chiang, 83, renewed his pledge to lead his people back to the China mainland.

Bra-less Worker Has Been Reinstated

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Attorneys for a grandmother who was fired Jan. 19 by a Morrilton textile mill because she refused to wear a brassiere to work say she has been reinstated.

"There is no restraint on her mode of dress except that she should be decently attired and modestly attired," said Phil Stratton of Conway, one of the attorneys for Mrs. Flossie Cato, 37, of Morrilton.

Mrs. Cato has filed suit in U. S. District Court alleging that her dismissal violated provisions of the 1964 Civil Rights Act prohibiting discrimination against women in employment. She contended the requirement that she wear a brassiere was

a "non-objective working condition based upon sex."

Mrs. Cato had asked the court to order her reinstatement with back pay.

The suit was dismissed Thursday at the request of attorneys for Mrs. Cato and the employer. Attorneys said an "amicable settlement" had been reached out of court.

Child Killed Accidentally

WEST MEMPHIS, Ark. (AP) — Ruth Washington, 3, of Earle was accidentally shot and killed Thursday at the home of a relative in Heafter (Crittenden County).

Authorities said the shooting occurred when the victim's sister, Leomi Washington, 5, apparently triggered a .12-gauge shotgun that was under a bed.

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Calendar of Events

Saturday, December 5

A pot luck supper and game night will be held at the Hope Country Club at 7 p.m. Saturday, December 5.

Host couples will be Mr. and Mrs. James Gaines and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hair.

Monday, December 7

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First United Methodist Church will meet on Monday, December 7th, at 12:00 p.m. for the annual Christmas Luncheon. Mrs. E. T. Davenport, president of the Little Rock Conference W.S.C.S., will be the guest speaker.

Tuesday, December 8

The Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church will have their Christmas party December 8 at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Nell Hankins in Oakhaven. Co-Hostess will be Mrs. Gene Royston, Jr. Everyone is asked to bring a homemade gift to exchange.

The Hempstead County Republican Women's Club will meet Tuesday, December 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Clarence Geist. There will be an installation of new officers, a Christmas party and a program by Mrs. Joyce McRoy. Gifts will be exchanged also.

Wednesday, December 9

The John Cain Chapter, DAR, will meet at the Town and Country at 12 noon Wednesday, December 9, and the State Regent, Mrs. Thomas F. Dodson, will be a special guest. Four charter members of the Chapter will be honored. Hostesses: Mrs. James Branch, Mrs. J.K. Keesey, Mrs. Otis Blackwood, Mrs. C.B. Voss.

The Beryl Henry PTA Study Group will meet Wednesday, December 9 at 10 a.m. in the Douglas Building. Program leader: Mrs. Donal Parker.

Thursday, Dec. 10

Hope Country Club ladies will have a pot-luck bridge luncheon Thursday, December 10 at 12 noon. The Ladies Golf Association will meet Thursday, December 17. Please note change of date.

Friday, December 11

The Friday Music Club will meet Friday, December 11 at 3:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs.

Lloyd Hendrix, 515 E. 14 th, with Mrs. Charles Batson and Mrs. B. W. Edwards, co-hostesses. There will be a program on Christmas Music.

DISTRICT 16 NURSES

On Wednesday, December 2 the District 16 Registered Nurses Association members and guests had a holiday dinner at Perry's Restaurant with delightful organ music by Gerald McLelland. In lieu of an exchange of presents, the members brought gifts for the Lions Club baskets.

Mrs. Shirley Wesson presented a check for \$46.50 for cutlery sold in the Prescott area, and Miss Joyce Oliver sent a check for \$118.10 from the DeQueen area. This money will be used for nursing scholarships.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. V.H. Nix, Jr., Memphis, announce the arrival of their second daughter, who weighed 8 pounds, 1 ounce, on December 1. She has been named Sarah. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Jim McKenzie of Hope and Mr. and Mrs. V.H. Nix of Memphis.

Coming, Going

Spl. 4 David Samuel came home Wednesday from a year's tour of duty in Vietnam with the 335th Transportation Co. He is here for 30 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Samuel, and his daughter, Lisa, before reporting to Ft. Rucker, Ala.

Mrs. H.A. Spraggins and Mrs. Frank King visited Mrs. Ben Owen in a Camden hospital on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Jim McKenzie went to Memphis this week to meet their new grand daughter, Sarah Nix. Mrs. McKenzie remained for a few days when he returned.

Miss Aurie Huntley and Mrs. Mary Jaeger had the Rev. and Mrs. T. H. King of Carmi, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Jim King of Decatur, Ala., as recent guests.

Dropouts Can't Read Labels on Bottles

By DON KENDALL
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A government-sponsored study of pesticide labels shows a high school dropout has little chance of understanding what is printed on poison packages or bottles.

Checks of pesticide labels during a two-year study conducted by the University of Illinois rated them fairly difficult to read, according to a standard readability formula.

"By that formula," the study report said, "the average pesticide label is suitable only for those with at least 10 to 12.9 years of formal education."

A summary of the report was issued Wednesday by the Agriculture Department. The two-year project was sponsored by the pesticides regulation division in the department's Agricultural Research Service.

Until now, responsibility for registering pesticides and labels has been the province of the Agriculture Department. This function was transferred Wednesday to the new Environmental Protection Agency, which will be in charge of following through on the Illinois report and making recommendations for improving pesticide labeling.

Approximately 50,000 "economic poisons" including pesticides—each with a label—are registered by the federal government. The study involved reviews for about 350 pesticide product labels.

In many cases, the study showed, directions and other information were printed in a type size considered small for the average reader, 17 per cent of the labels contained information that could be defined as advertising, and 80 per cent did not have indented paragraphs, thus reducing legibility.

"While most terms were understandable," the report said "a few were difficult to understand—such as 'germs', 'herbicide', 'control' and 'fungicides'."

Topsy-turvy Fish

Nature located the mouths of the Abramite family of fish at the tops of their heads. These topsy-turvy fish adjust by turning belly-up to feed from the ocean floor.

Depression Hits Higher Education

By RICHARD BLYSTONE
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — More than 1,500 colleges and universities, with 77 per cent of America's campus population, are at or near the point of having to cut back important services for lack of money, the Carnegie Commission on Higher Education reported today.

Some of the country's wealthiest and most prestigious institutions—including Harvard University, Stanford and the University of Michigan—were named as representative of a "financial crisis unmatched in its impact" and fast getting worse.

Almost all higher education institutions will feel the pinch if present trends continue, said the report, released at a news conference here.

The report, compiled by Earl F. Cheit, former vice chancellor of the University of California at Berkeley, said: "The essence of the problem is that costs and income are both rising, but costs are rising at a steady or a slowly growing rate ... whereas income is growing at a declining rate."

The squeeze is made worse by the state of the economy, with inflation both raising costs and inhibiting income, the report said. However, it asserted that the crisis is "not simply part of a general economic downturn," but involves questions of public confidence in higher education and of the future role and purpose of colleges and universities.

Campus disturbances, the report said, are "an important new cost factor," imposing substantial costs for security, insurance and replaced property while hampering fund-raising.

The report indicated that belt-tightening and review of priorities by the colleges and universities would improve the situation but that increased private giving and government aid would be necessary to preserve educational quality.

Basing its broader conclusions on weighting of on-site studies of 41 representative institutions, the report estimated that 540 institutions, enrolling 21 per cent of American college students, are "in financial difficulty." It said that means they have been forced to curtail services they consider important.

Eleven of the 41 sample institutions—including Stanford, New York University and the University of California at Berkeley—were in that category. But the report stressed that this did not reflect on their academic quality and "could indicate that the institution is doing relatively more than others to bring income and expenditures into line."

Another 1,000 schools, with 56 per cent of the students, were termed "headed for financial trouble,"—unable to assure that they can support growth plans or go much longer without cutting important parts of their programs.

Among those were 18 schools ranging from Harvard, with the nation's largest endowment, close to \$1 billion—to Knox College of Galesburg, Ill., a four-year school with fewer than 1,500 students.

Twelve of the 41 schools, including Howard University, Hamilton College and the Universities of Texas and North Carolina, were classified "not in financial trouble."

But as an example of how fast the situation is deteriorating, the report said the University of San Mateo, Calif., listed as not in trouble, has lost tax support since the on-site study last summer and now is "in financial difficulty."

Measures being used to ride out the storm include, for private institutions, cutting into capital reserves built up during the last decade. But this source is fast drying up. At Knox, for example, \$400,000 in reserves were tapped to make up last year's deficit; this year only \$250,000 is left.

Other steps include canceling development plans, soliciting more students, holding down or reducing hiring of faculty and administrators and trimming allocations to academic departments and student activities.

Private schools are more likely to face difficulty than public ones, the report said. It said that as of last spring 28 per cent of private schools could be called "not in trouble," as opposed to about 50 per cent of public colleges and universities. Urban schools and schools in

Wedding Vows Are Repeated



—Clyde Davis photo

MRS. JAMES W. AVERA JR.

In a lovely wedding at the First Baptist Church at 7 p.m. November 21, Miss Paula Jean Burnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Burnett, became the bride of James W. Avera, Jr. of Malvern, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Avera, Sr. of Lumberton, Miss.

The Rev. Gerald Trussell officiated at the double-ring ceremony. The organist, Mrs. H. A. Spraggins, played a program of wedding music and accompanied the soloist, Jim Hart, as he sang "Whither Thou Goest" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Vows were exchanged before an altar banked with greenery and flanked by baskets of white gladiolus and seven-branched candelabra. A prie-dieu centered the setting.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white peau de soie gown styled with a lace bodice and long sleeves, a high neckline and an Empire waistline. Her train swept from a bow in the back, and her veil of silk illusion fell from a single rose fashioned of silk organza.

She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid. Mrs. Jerry Burnett, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Linda Avera, sister of the bridegroom, Mrs. Hurb Plumlee and Mrs. Stan McCann, cousins of the bride.

The bride's attendants wore shrimp-colored satin gowns designed on Empire lines. Their headpieces were of shrimp-colored flowers and pearls. They carried cascade arrangements of gladiolus in the shrimp hue.

The flower girl was little Miss Jill Davis, cousin of the bridegroom. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davis of Morton, Miss. Johnny Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Foster, was the ring bearer.

James W. Avera, Sr. served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Jerry Burnett, brother of the bride, Jerry Fuller and Mike Williams. Harvey Fullerton and Johnny Breeding ushered. Before the ceremony Terry McCorkle lighted the candles.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Burnett chose a silver gray knit dress with matching accessories. The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Avera, wore a mauve knit costume with black accessories. Both mothers complemented their costumes

with carnation corsages. A reception followed in the fellowship hall of the church. Mrs. Willie McCorkle greeted the guests at the door and introduced them to the receiving line. The guests were served from a table covered with a white net cloth over white linen and centered with an epergne holding flowers and candles. A three tiered cake iced in the shrimp hue and topped with a miniature bride and groom was at one end of the table, and a crystal punch bowl holding pink punch was at the opposite end.

On the eve of the wedding, the groom's parents entertained with a dinner at Perry's Restaurant in Perrytown. The bride-elect wore an aqua knit suit, and she and the groom-elect chose that time to present gifts to the members of their wedding party and to each other.

Television and Radio

By CYNTHIA LOWRY

AP Television-Radio Writer NEW YORK (AP) — George Plimpton is a professional surrogate, the stand-in for every man who dreams of pitching in the major leagues, of tackling Fran Tarkenton, of out-driving Jack Nicklaus. He really tries those things—and then tells what it's really like.

Such activity has made Plimpton, 43, a best-selling author and, next Wednesday, will make him an instant television star when his ABC series of specials is launched.

Plimpton's first adventure will show him playing a heavy in the latest John Wayne movie—training for the role, practicing gunslinging and a rolling western walk and, of course, biting the dust. He also has boxed with Archie Moore, played bridge with Oswald Jacoby and played tennis with Pancho Gonzales. He goes in, and expects to come out each time a loser.

"Well," Plimpton hedgingly said, "I did strike out two batters when I pitched with the Yankees."

His second special, in March, presents him working his way around a circus where he tries his luck on the trapeze.

In preparing for his trapeze adventure, Plimpton was instructed never to look down—and to land in the net on his back.

"I climbed up and up on a skinny little ladder and—unavoidably—I looked down, way, way down."

Once on that tiny platform, Plimpton and his instructors "just stayed there for over an hour."

"We talked about everything," he recalled. "About taxes, about the stock market, about traffic. But I finally went off. It would have taken more guts to ask to climb down."

The national educational network had something of a drama scoop Thursday night with the performance of a new Tennessee Williams one-act play, "I Can't Imagine Tomorrow."

It was coupled with an old Williams playlet, "Talk To Me Like the Rain and Let Me Listen."

Both short dramas, beautifully and sensitively performed, were heart-rending vignettes of the lost: A ravaged couple who have completely lost contact with each other; a pain-wracked woman and a disturbed man coming together in another.

Alan Mixon and Lois Smith were the strange couple in the first drama, a man escaping into drunkenness and his wife into fantasy.

In the new play, Kim Stanley played a mortally ill woman deliberately attempting to end the dependence of a weak, mentally ill young man. In both cases Williams' works were extremely effective.

Noblest Knight

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ANOTHER VIEW ON SHORT SKIRTS

Dear Helen:

Don't give up on the mini vs. midi battle!

Those designers think they'll gradually wear women down, just as they have in the past, but we're a new breed of cat now. We don't blindly follow a fashion that either ages us or makes up look ridiculous.

Speaking for many 40ish females, we feel terribly cheated. It was only last spring that we got the courage to really show our knees. Rather, we were encouraged, if not shoved into modified minis because we could no longer buy stylish knee-lengths.

And we loved 'em — that is if we still had the legs for them. They helped us get our figures back: I myself lost 10 pounds and felt 10 years younger, just enjoying those happy clothes. They did wonders for my husband too.

So what happens? Just when we older but still shapely matrons broke out of our wrappings, the garment industry decrees them back again—and with ugly laceup boots yet!

I won't succumb! I won't, I won't, I won't!!!

Still with us, Helen?—FREED KNEES

Dear Freed Knees:

All the way! Or at least an inch

BARBS

Our secretary can type 75 words per minute—not all of them necessarily related to the letter in hand.

Any salesman who can't find a customer to call on somewhere in the vicinity of one of the big year-end football games isn't much of a sports fan.

One tip that some waitresses might find profitable is: better service would get them larger ones.

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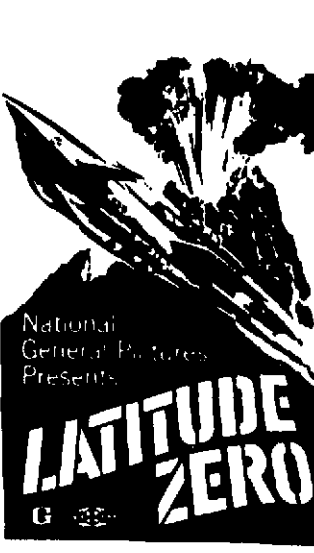
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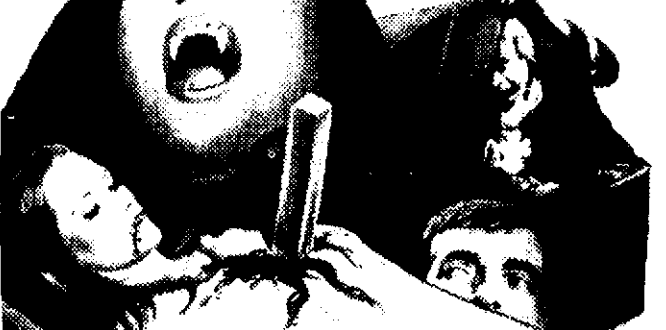
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Hope Star SPORTS

Prescott Wins Three Games From Locals

By BUD MCLARTY
Star Assistant Sports Writer

Last night was a bad one for Hope High School Basketball as three teams playing in a triple header all defeated.

In the first game it was the Hope High "B" Team Ladycats against the Prescott "B" Wolverettes. Prescott started the action with a two point net by No. 42, Ann Jackson. But a foul against the "B" Wolverettes and a pointer by Hope's Cindy Roberts along with another shot, this one good for two moved the Hope "B" team into an early 3-2 lead with 3:13 left on the clock. However after a one pointer by Hope's Mary Young and a six point scoring spree by Prescott's girls, left the score 9-4 in favor of Prescott at the beginning of the second quarter.

In the second quarter two pointers by Roberts, Walden, Young, along with another six point gain by Prescott, made the halftime score a tight 15-14 in favor of the opponents.

Only four points were scored by Hope in the remainder of the game, those by Roberts and Walden, and to the dismay of Hope fans an exhibition of crack shooting by Prescott was shown with the scoring of 19 points, final was 39-18 Prescott.

In the second game it was the Prescott Junior girls against the Hope Junior Kittycats, in what well might have been one of the most exciting games in basketball history at Hope High.

Prescott again started the action racking up points by No. 53. A two pointer by Gladney with other points by Karlen Coleman and Jill Herring made it 9-6 with 1:20 left in the first quarter. Then a spree by Prescott's Wolverine Cubs made it 10 to 9 at the end. In the second quarter points by Herring, Gladney, and Coleman made it 22-19 at the half, still Prescott's lead. Conversions by a fast moving Hope team and a strong Hope defense made it an interesting 26-26 ballgame at the start of the fourth quarter. The final quarter was a hectic one with points by Gladney, Coleman, and Herring and a good offensive show by Prescott tying the score at 35 all with 1:20 left in the game. A foul shot by Coleman was good for a needed point and slim lead. A series of ties and fouls plagued Hope's team and a 10 footer by Prescott's No. 43 did the Kittycats. The final score was 37-36 Prescott.

In the final of the tripleheader last night it was the Hope Junior Bobkittens pitted against the Prescott Junior Wolf Cubs.

Although the Kittens never gave up, fighting as fiery as any team, Prescott was an easy victor 35-45.

Only four points were racked up by the Kittens in the 1st quarter with those being netted by Jimmy Smith and David Huddleston. Quite a contrast to the 16 points scored by Nos. 30, 32, and 45 of Prescott.

Eleven points were scored by Hope's Tim Hogan, Witherspoon, Jimmy Smith and Huddleston. But Prescott's sharpshooting was a little more accurate and timely as they netted 13 points in the second quarter. However Hope showed good stock with second left in the half a near mid-court thrust by Marshall Scott slid through the net to the awe of all, making the score 28-15 Prescott at halftime.

Shots by Huddleston, Smith, kept the kittens alive but 24-36 in the score favored Prescott at the end of the quarter.

Points were scored by Hope's Huddleston, Hogan, Gary Rhodes, Witherspoon with a final but unsuccessful rally while Prescott kept busy winning 45-35.

Crawford 4 Over Par at Coral Springs

CORAL SPRINGS, Fla. (AP) — Richard Crawford of Bella Vista, Ark., shot a four-over-par 75 Thursday in the first round of the \$125,000 Coral Springs Open golf tournament.

Points were scored by Hope's Huddleston, Hogan, Gary Rhodes, Witherspoon with a final but unsuccessful rally while Prescott kept busy winning 45-35.

Plenty of Advice for Shootout

By HARRY KING
Associated Press Writer

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Coach Frank Broyles has a large staff of assistants at the University of Arkansas, but this week he's been getting some outside help.

Broyles has received several letters from well-wishers suggesting plays the fourth-ranked Razorbacks could spring on top-ranked Texas Saturday at Austin in the nationally televised "Big Shootout II." Both are unbeaten in the Southwest Conference and the winner will meet Notre Dame Jan. 1 in the Cotton Bowl. The prizes were similar last year when Texas rallied in the fourth quarter for a 15-14 victory.

"One of them suggested we use two quarterbacks, both (Bill) Montgomery and (Joe) Ferguson, and let them sprint out in opposite directions," Broyles said, discussing the letters from would-be coaches.

Another suggested that injured tailback Bill Burnett be declared fit for action. "Then, put him in when near the goal and let him stand back there while the quarterback fakes to him and gives to someone else."

Burnett was given a doctor's permission late Thursday to play Saturday. Dr. Marvin Knight examined Burnett in Dallas and said the final decision would be up to the 185-pound tailback.

Burnett, who set a Southwest Conference scoring record of 300 points before suffering a shoulder separation Oct. 31 against Texas A&M, had a pin removed from his shoulder last week. He began running some Monday.

IF BURNETT: If Burnett is on the sidelines, either Jon Richardson or Mike Saint will be at tailback. Both are sophomores. Richardson is more apt to break a long run while Saint, who is 17 pounds heavier, is more of a plodder.

Richardson, who rushed for more than 100 yards against Texas Tech on Nov. 21, has gained 417 yards this season on 97 carries. Saint has carried 91 times for 351 yards.

The picture was a little brighter at Austin, where Longhorn Coach Darrell Royal said full-back Steve Worster probably will be able to play Saturday.

Worster, a powerful 203-pounder, suffered a severely bruised hip in the Thanksgiving Day victory over Texas A&M and Royal said earlier he was a doubtful starter.

"Although he's not full speed, not real quick, he ran through some plays today," Royal said after Thursday's practice. Worster, the Longhorns' career scoring leader with 204 points has rushed for 722 yards this season and is an important cog in Texas' ground-gobbling Wishbone-T attack.

Texas has gained an average of 364.6 yards a game on the ground—tops in the nation. Arkansas' defense has permitted 88.9 yards a game on the ground—third best in the country.

Texas, with an average of more than 462 yards a game, ranks fourth in the nation in total offense and Arkansas, with a more balanced attack, is sixth.

The Longhorns lead the nation in scoring with an average of more than 41 points a game and the Razorbacks are second with an average of more than 39 points a game.

A stadium-record crowd of more than 68,000 is expected for the 1:50 p.m. kickoff.

SPORT SHORTS
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LONDON (AP) — Poland defeated England 8-2 in an international amateur boxing match at Royal Albert Hall Thursday night.

looked around the room. "I don't see anyone who wants to talk to you."

He shrugged and left. "I just figured, what the hell," he said.

Fights

Thursday's Fights
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

SYRACUSE, N.Y.—Billy Backus, 145½, Canastota, N.Y., stopped Jose Napoles, 144½, Mexico, 4; Backus dethroned Napoles as world welterweight champion.

TOKYO—Hiroshi Kobayashi, 131½, Japan, outpointed Shozo Saijo, 137½, Japan, 10.

WOLVERHAMPTON, England—Ray Patterson, 202, New York, and Danny McAlinden, 195½, Britain, drew, 10.

BLOOMINGTON, Minn.—James J. Woody, New York City, outpointed Tony Doyle, Minneapolis, 10, heavyweights.

PORTLAND, Maine—Walter Ophinsky, 166, Scranton, Pa., knocked out Tony Lampron, 174, Westbrook, Maine, 3.

LOS ANGELES—Jose Luis Valdivinos, 118, Mexico, outpointed Jorge Gomez, 117, Peris, Calif., 12.

Allin Not Excited About Lead

By BOB GREEN
Associated Press Golf Writer

CORAL SPRINGS, Fla. (AP) — Brian Allin, a Vietnam veteran playing in only his second professional tournament, refused to get excited about his tournament leading 67.

"It feels pretty good," the soft-spoken young man said, "but I don't want to build it up too much. You've got to try to take it in stride."

Allin, a slightly built 26-year-old who spent 14 months in combat as an Army artillery lieutenant, graduated from the PGA players school only a month ago and made his tour debut last week when he finished in a tie for 70th in the Heritage Classic.

But he didn't let lack of experience bother him in leading the seven-man charge into a tie for the first-round lead in the \$125,000 Coral Springs Open Golf Tournament. He was tied at 67, four under par, with Bob Lunn, Mike Hill, George Johnson, Butch Baird, Mac Lendon and Canadian Wilf Homenuik.

Just one stroke back was another group of 11 tied at 68. They included Tommy Aaron, Lee Trevino, Gardner Dickinson, Homero Blancas and Gay Brewer.

Dave Hill and 52-year-old Tommy Bolt topped another big bunch at 69.

Jack Nicklaus and Masters champion Billy Casper are not competing in this, the next-to-last event on the pro schedule this year.

The 6,843-yard, par 71 Coral Springs Country Club course, a relatively flat, but lake-studded layout, offered little challenge to most of the big field, with 51 players breaking par Friday and a total of 89 at par or better.

But Arnold Palmer found all the trouble he could handle.

The 41-year-old master, still seeking his first individual title of the year, had a 72 and must improve if he is to make the cut for the final two rounds Saturday and Sunday.

He three-putted two greens, took a triple bogey 6 on the par 3 15th and was steaming when he came off the course.

"I just had one lapse, then got mad," Palmer said.

Allin, who attended Brigham Young University before his Army days, worked as a club pro near his home in Santa Barbara, Calif., for a year before attending the PGA school.

To say he is an unknown is an understatement. When he showed up in the press room, a woman attendant asked what he wanted.

"I shot a 67 and they told me to come here," he replied. "Well," the woman said, and

Solunar Tables

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from Richard Alden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times, if you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

		A.M.		P.M.	
Date	Day	Minor	Major	Minor	Major
Dec. 4	Friday	9:55	3:45	10:30	4:15
5	Saturday	10:45	4:35	11:25	5:10
6	Sunday	11:40	5:30	-	5:50

Baseball

Pro Basketball
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NBA
Eastern Conference
Atlantic Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	21	8	.724	—
Boston	15	10	.600	3
Philadelphia	15	13	.536	5½
Buffalo	7	17	.292	11½

Central Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Baltimore	14	12	.538	—
Cincinnati	9	14	.391	3½
Atlanta	6	18	.250	7
Cleveland	1	26	.037	13½

Western Conference
Midwest Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Milwaukee	19	3	.863	—
Detroit	17	10	.630	4½
Chicago	13	9	.591	6
Phoenix	15	12	.556	6½

Pacific Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
San Fran.	15	10	.600	—
Los Angeles	13	9	.591	½
San Diego	15	13	.536	1½
Seattle	13	14	.481	3
Portland	9	9	.321	7½

Thursday's Results
Milwaukee 107, Chicago 100
Only game scheduled

Friday's Games
Seattle at Baltimore
Chicago at Detroit
Philadelphia at Milwaukee
San Fran. at Los Angeles
New York at Buffalo
Boston at Cleveland
Phoenix at Portland
Only games scheduled

Saturday's Games
Philadelphia at Cincinnati
Buffalo at New York
Seattle at Atlanta
Boston at Chicago
Los Angeles at San Diego
Phoenix vs. San Francisco at Oakland
Only games scheduled

Sunday's Games
Portland at Los Angeles
Buffalo at Cleveland
Cincinnati at Baltimore
San Diego at Phoenix
Only games scheduled

ABA
East Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Kentucky	18	6	.750	—
Virginia	14	10	.583	4
New York	11	11	.500	6
Floridians	11	13	.458	7
Pittsburgh	10	16	.385	9
Carolina	8	15	.348	9½

West Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Utah	16	7	.696	—
Indiana	14	10	.583	2½
Memphis	13	10	.565	3
Denver	7	16	.304	9
Texas	6	16	.273	9½

Thursday's Results
Denver 124, Virginia 111
Carolina 124, Floridians 114
New York 98, Memphis 87
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games
Kentucky at Utah
Carolina at Indiana
Floridians at New York
Memphis at Pittsburgh
Denver vs. Texas at Dallas
Saturday's Games
Pittsburgh vs. Virginia at Richmond
Texas vs. Carolina at Charlotte
Only games scheduled

Sunday's Games
Kentucky at Denver
Carolina at New York
Memphis vs. Virginia at Norfolk
Texas at Pittsburgh
Utah vs. Floridians at Jacksonville
Only games scheduled

Thursday's College Basketball
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East

Jacksonville 152, St. Peter's, N.J. 106

St. Jos., Pa. 71, Manhattan 67
Dartmouth 79, Stetson 71
Duquesne 92, Baltimore 60
NYU 53, Fairleigh Dickson 51
Holy Cross 138, St. Michael's, Vet. 68

Providence 91, Brown 63
Maine 60, Vermont 45

South

Florida St. 106, Biscayne 70
So. Carolina 86, Auburn 69
W. Ky. 96, Old Dominion 82
Ga. St. 56, U. of the South 49
Samford 92, Sam Hous. St. 87
DePaul 100, Va. Com'w'lth 77
Clemson 67, Furman 54
Miss. St. 50, So. Alabama 38
The Citadel 88, Wofford 62

Midwest

Oklahoma 66, Miami, Ohio 56
Missouri 80, Idaho 60
Purdue 80, Valparaiso 61
Upper Iowa 80, Cornell 51
Tulsa 97, Athletics in Action 83

Southwest

Lamar Tech 100, St. Leo, Fla. 70
Pan Amer. 88, Tex. A&I 68
Houston 81, NW La. 68

Far West

So. Calif. 90, Utah 81
Ariz. St. 117, San Diego St. 79
Colo. St. 98, Fullerton, Calif. State 74

Tournaments
Virginia Big Five
Third Place
Wm. & Mary 97, Richmond 84
Championship

Vikings Are Picked to Be First

NEW YORK (AP) — Minnesota will become the first team to enter the National Football League playoffs, St. Louis will solidify its hold on first place and Kansas City will break a tie with Oakland.

All that—it says here—will happen this weekend on a 13-game program that runs from Saturday to Monday. And whether it's believed or not depends on whether last week's 7-6 record tends to discourage.

At any rate, the season-long record still is a respectable 37-24-4 with only three weeks remaining. Here we go again:

SATURDAY
Minnesota 24, Chicago 13—There may be some question of Gary Cuozzo's effectiveness after spraining an ankle in Vikings' loss to New York Jets last week, but there shouldn't be any reason the Minnesota defenders can't win this almost by themselves.

SUNDAY
St. Louis 27, Detroit 24—Cardinals just might pull off the upset if Jim Hart can hit consistently. MacArthur Lane and Johnny Roland will get yardage on the ground for the National Conference East Leaders. But they'll have to watch Lions' quick Mel Farr on dashes to the outside.

Kansas City 31, Denver 17—The Chiefs, getting top form passing from Len Dawson, should be able to romp over the fading Broncos in their bid for the American Conference West title and a return trip to the Super Bowl. Broncos just don't seem to have it anymore.

New York Jets 24, Oakland 21—Always a bitter battle, the pick here is the Jets, who have momentum with three straight victories. Combined with a Kansas City victory, that would drop the Raiders one game behind in the frantic Western race.

Los Angeles 35, New Orleans 14—The Rams' offense hasn't pulled off many fireworks recently but should be able to against an outmanned Saints' team, and it's not a bad opportunity for Coach George Allen to show off against the team he's been rumored heading for.

San Francisco 27, Atlanta 20—The 49ers will keep pace with the Rams in NFC West as John Brodie gets back on target against the Falcons. Atlanta has a rugged defense, but quarterback Bob Berry is erratic.

Baltimore 20, Philadelphia 17—The Colts seemed to have slipped since earlier in the season, but still should have enough left to handle the Eagles. Philadelphia lacks scoring punch.

Pittsburgh 27, Green Bay 17—Either Terry Bradshaw or Hamraty—capable of keeping the Steelers in first place in AFC Central against a Green Bay team that just isn't moving the ball.

San Diego 28, Cincinnati 21—The Bengals, however, will fall out of the three-way tie in the Central Division by bowing to the Chargers. Cincinnati can't handle the San Diego running like Kansas City did.

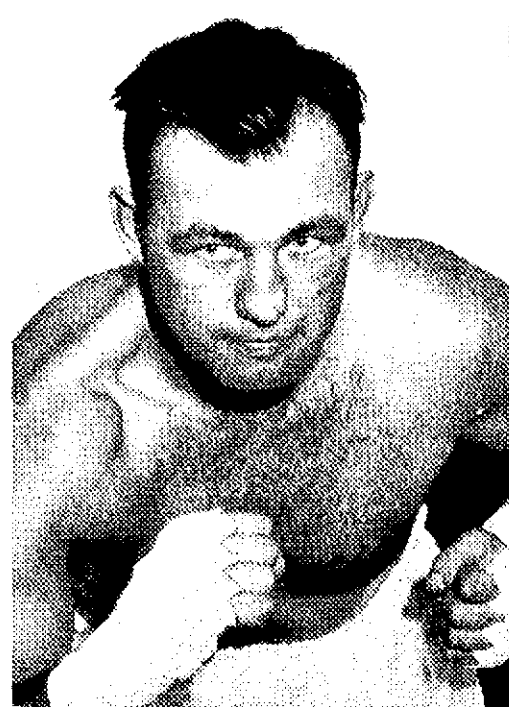
New York Giants 38, Buffalo 10—The Giants, still in the running in NFC East, should have a field day against an injury-riddled Bills' club. Ron Johnson should be able to run for 100.

Washington 27, Dallas 14—Here's a guess that the situation involving ace receiver Lance Rentzel has handicapped the Cowboys' preparation. Besides, Redskins' Sonny Jurgensen is always dangerous.

Miami 24, Boston 21—The Dolphins, coming off the Monday night game, may be a little sluggish, but the Patriots' are always a lot sluggish.

MONDAY
Cleveland 31, Houston 21—The Browns whipped the Oilers two weeks ago and are capable of doing it again, maintaining a hold on first place in AFC Central.

Arkansas A&M 107, College of the Ozarks 90
Arkansas Freshmen 109, Westark Junior College 76
High School
Jonesboro 67, Paragould 63



STILL A SPORTSMAN, Jack Sharkey, boxing idol in the fast-paced days of Prohibition, now spends his retirement years hunting and fishing in the woods around his home at Epping, N.H. Sharkey, left, is shown in 1932 when he was heavyweight champion and right, today, wearing hat ringed with fishing flies he makes.

Cotton and Orange Bowl Folks Waiting

By MIKE RECHT
Associated Press Sports Writer

Orange and Cotton Bowl officials are standing by with bids in hand. The pollsters are waiting anxiously with ballots. President Nixon might even be poised by his telephone. It's Texas and Arkansas again.

For the third time in three years, the Longhorns and the Razorbacks meet for the South-west Conference title and the honor of being the host team in the Cotton Bowl, and for the second straight year, the game comes on the final weekend of the college football regular season.

Texas has won both those games, 39-29 in 1968 and 15-14 in last year's thriller, when President Nixon visited the Texas dressing room after the game with congratulations. Since then, the President has telephoned his congratulations.

The second victory also kept the Longhorns No. 1 in the country, an honor they protected with a victory over Notre Dame in the Cotton Bowl. Texas, with a 29-game winning streak, the nation's longest, is ranked No. 1 again entering this game, with Arkansas, 9-1, not far back at No. 4.

Arkansas went to the Sugar Bowl after losing to Texas last year, but this time the Razorbacks might get shut out, a fact both coaches knew when they let television re-schedule the game to the last weekend of the season.

The loser might have a shot at the Orange Bowl, but Louisiana State, No. 8, has that wrapped up if the Tigers can get by 16th-ranked Mississippi in their drag out battle Saturday night in Baton Rouge, La.

LSU misses a solid favorite with Ole Miss quarterback Archie Manning still questionable as attempts still are being made to find some type of protective device for his broken arm. Manning has no played since he suffered the injury Nov. 7.

The Texas-Arkansas affair will be televised nationally in the afternoon from Austin, Tex., with the LSU-Mississippi game televised to 85 per cent of the country that night.

Two other teams in the Top Ten also will be in action with No. 5 Tennessee playing host to UCLA in the other day game and unbeaten No. 9 Arizona State traveling to rival Arizona at night. Both are heavy favorites.

In two other night games, Houston plays at Miami, Fla., and North Texas State is at Tulsa.

Both Texas and Arkansas have their fingers crossed on the availability of their star running backs. Fullback Steve Worster of the Longhorns, the key man in their wishbone-T offense, suffered a hip pointer against Texas A&M Thanksgiving Day and has been slow recovering.

Arkansas' Bill Burnett suffered a shoulder separation against Texas A&M earlier and underwent surgery, which was expected to end the college career of the leading scorer in conference history. But Burnett was working out this week in pads, and was listed as doubtful.

Browns whipped the Oilers two weeks ago and are capable of doing it again, maintaining a hold on first place in AFC Central.

Hockey

National Hockey League
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Thursday's Results
Montreal 6, St. Louis 3
Boston 4, Buffalo 4, tie
Detroit 4, Los Angeles 4, tie
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games
Philadelphia at California
Only game scheduled

Saturday's Games
Boston at Montreal
New York at Toronto
Detroit at St. Louis
Vancouver at Pittsburgh
Chicago at Minnesota
Philadelphia at Los Angeles
Only games scheduled

Sunday's Games
Toronto at Chicago
Vancouver at New York
Pittsburgh at Boston
St. Louis at Detroit
Minnesota at Buffalo
Only games scheduled

Spring Hill and Perry's Post Wins

Action Wednesday night at the Guernsey Gym in the Men's Independent Basketball Assn., saw Perry's Truckers down Blevins 88 to 82. Wayne Loe was high man for Perry's with 26 points followed by Henley with 19. L. Hicks and L. Huggs led the losers with 23 and 18 points.

In the second game Spring Hill took measure of Monty's Barbers 98 to 87. C. Kidd led Spring Hill with 19. Anderson hit for 17. Townsend was the big gun for the losers with 27 and Brint Odom sacked 20.

On Wednesday, December 9, Monty's will take on Perry's and Spring Hill will face the Blevins squad.

Texas Players Not So Hurt After All

By ROBERT HEARD
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Listen up, all you Texas fans straining to hear the latest about "woo." The big fullback is running again and is likely to be blasting into the Arkansas line Saturday.

Longhorn coach Darrell Royal looked like a man who has had an anvil lifted from his shoulders as he described fullback Steve Worster's running in Thursday's secret workout.

"Although he's not full speed, not real quick, he ran through some plays today," a bright-faced Royal told sportswriters.

Asked if Worster's improvement from not being able even to trip on Monday because of a hip pointer sustained against Texas A&M last week, Royal said "Oh, man, yeah. Gosh, yeah. I really felt good."

The 203-pound Worster is the power gear in Texas' Wishbone-T offense. Texas fans chant "Woo... Woo... Woo" when the No. 1-rated Longhorns get close to the goal line, calling for Worster to be given the ball.

Royal also was grinning about other improving injuries.

Punter Gary Keithley kicked the ball without ill effect.

Defensive tackle Carl White "is okay."

Defensive end Bill Atessis, who pulled a hamstring muscle against the Aggies, is "all right. He said it feels great. He's moving about three-quarter speed and he said he couldn't feel it."

Linebacker-tight end Tommy Woodard, however, is "still hobbled badly."

Backus in Stunning Upset Fight

By ED SCHUYLER JR.
Associated Press Sports Writer

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP) — Five years ago Billy Backus couldn't win in the ring, so he quit and went to black topping roads. Today he's the welterweight boxing champion of the world.

"I felt it wasn't my business," Backus said Thursday

Hog Market Rising, Says Rockefeller

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) —Texas Gov. Preston Smith and Arkansas Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller have gotten into the spirit of the Arkansas-Texas football game, trading tongue-in-cheek telegrams.

Rockefeller's first telegram Wednesday noted that Smith had issued a proclamation declaring a special red hog quarantine zone to cover the entire Texas end of the field for Saturday's game.

"Imagine a governor feeling it necessary to irresponsibly proclaim a quarantine against fine red Arkansas Razorback hogs to bolster the obviously faltering morale of millions of Texans who are daily noting the falling price of steers on the open market," Rockefeller said.

"The market for choice steers," Smith responded Thursday "is steady at an average price of about 35 cents a pound, while the hog market is merely steady to weak at about 15 cents. Assuming most of the Razorbacks, which Arkansas will soon dispatch to Texas, fall in the 188 to 265 pound range, eleven of them on the Texas market would be worth less than half the amount a comparable number of Texas steers, of greater size, strength and speed, would bring."

It didn't take long for Rockefeller to fire off a reply.

"Being in the cattle business myself, I am grateful for your kind quotations on choice steers," Rockefeller said. "However, the Razorbacks will be slaughtering longhorn steers on Saturday, and to the best of my recollection, longhorns have value only as collector's items, since they are relics of the past ... but if for sale in the market, would hardly be classed 'choice.'"

"Were your research people as thorough as mine, they would know that the hog market, which hit a low of \$14 per hundredweight three or four months ago, is on a tremendous upswing and today — obviously

Pre-Christmas Meet



REV. CHARLES L. OGDON

Rev. Charles L. Ogdon, Muldrow, Okla., will begin a Pre-Christmas revival at the First Assembly of God Church, 322 No. Main this Tuesday night December 8th, at 7:00 p.m. The services will continue until December 20.

Rev. Ogdon is a full time evangelist and has conducted revivals in several states and in

many of the larger Assemblies of God Churches. Emphasis will be placed on putting Christ back in Christmas, as Christmas is one of the great events on the churches calendar.

Special music and singing will be nightly. The pastor, C.C. Truitt, invites the public to attend this Pre-Christmas Revival.

First Black Baseball Ump Retires

By DICK COUCH
Associated Press Sports Writer
LOS ANGELES (AP) — Baseball, regally attired in a plush Hollywood setting on the final night of its winter meetings, will be somewhat poorer next spring without Emmett Ashford calling 'em as he sees 'em.

Porker Frosh in an Easy Cage Win

The bouncy, 56-year-old umpire, first black man ever to call balls and strikes in the major leagues, bowed out Thursday after five turbulent seasons.

His retirement announcement came several hours before Cincinnati's Johnny Bench, St. Louis' Bob Gibson and San Francisco's Willie Mays received top honors at baseball's inaugural national awards banquet in a swank Beverly Hills hotel.

Bench, the major league slugger king last season, was named player of the year. Gibson, a 23-game winner for the Cardinals, captured 1970 pitching laurels. Mays, the Giants' 39-year-old superstar, was selected as the player who best typifies the game on and off the field.

Other award winners included third baseman Brooks Robinson of Baltimore's world champions, named defensive player of the year, Pittsburgh's Danny Murtaugh, named manager of the year and Orioles' front office chief Harry Dalton, cited as executive of the year.

New Coach in NHL Gets First Win

Ashford, who reached the normal retirement age for American League umpires a year ago, announced he was stepping out "with a great deal of reluctance" after 20 years on the job — the first 15 of them in the minors.

AL President Joe Cronin, who brought Ashford up from the Pacific Coast League in 1968, denied that pressure had been put on the ebullient showman to retire. Commissioner Bowie Kuhn hinted that he would offer Ashford a job in his office.

Ashford, who worked the World Series for the first time this year, insisted he merely wanted to "depart on top."

"Trying to top the exceptionally good year and the thrilling events of the 1970 World Series would be superfluous and anticlimactic," he said. "I had a fantastic year. Nobody even questioned my ancestry."

"He wasn't pushed out," Cronin said. "Last year he was over 55 but we invited him back."

"He certainly has been a credit to baseball and contributed greatly to it. I'm indebted to him."

Boston, pulling ahead of idle New York by one point, came from behind on goals by Fred Stanfield at 12:38 of the third period and Ken Hodge on a 50-

foot slap shot with 1:09 left in the game. Before that the Bruins had blown a 2-0 lead when the Sabres scored four consecutive goals.

Warm Weather for Big Game at Austin

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The National Weather Service is predicting temperatures in the mid to upper 70s for Saturday's football game here between the University of Arkansas and the University of Texas.

The forecast also calls for partly cloudy skies and winds south to southwest at 10 to 20 miles an hour.

Bucks Defeat Bulls With Alcindor

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Low Alcindor and Oscar Robertson did just what they were expected to do—score the most points and the clutch points for the Milwaukee Bucks.

Between them they split 44 points Thursday night and teamed for seven down the stretch that provided the Bucks with a 107-100 victory over the Chicago Bulls in the only National Basketball Association game Thursday night.

In the American Basketball Association, the New York Nets stopped the Memphis Pros 98-87, Denver beat Virginia 124-111 and Carolina beat the Floridians 124-114.

Chicago led most of the way until Robertson, directing a fourth quarter rally, hit a 20-foot jumper for a tie at 83 with 8:51 left in the game. With the Bulls trailing 95-94, Robertson and Alcindor went on their final spree that wrapped up the victory.

Sonny Dove hit 15 points in the first half as the Nets took a 53-47 halftime lead, and then when the Pros pulled within 85-79, Dove added six more points to insure the victory.

Joe Caldwell and Bob Verga each scored 30 points for Carolina and held off the Floridians, who cut a 17-point deficit to 98-97.

Larry Cannon poured in 39 points for Denver, which took an early 11-point lead and then clinched the game with a 23-7 burst in the third quarter after Virginia climbed within 73-68.

Quarterbacks Signed for Shrine Game

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Three quarterbacks—Chuck Hixson of SMU, Dennis Dummit of UCLA, and Dan Pastorini of Santa Clara—head an all-star West team for the 46th annual Shrine charity football game Jan. 2.

The 28-man squad, announced today by the East-West Football Committee, also is studded with talented receivers.

They include Elmo Wright of Houston, who already has the all-time touchdown reception record with a game still to play; Bob Newland of Oregon, leading Pacific-8 catcher; Bob Chandler of USC, Ken Fleming of SMU, and running back Bob Cornell who also snags passes.

Naturally, West head coach Eddie Crowder of Colorado has indicated he plans a blistering pass offensive, but the running game will not be neglected.

The bulk of the ball-carrying is expected to go to Willie Armstrong of Grambling, a 235-pounder called "The Afterburner."

Pastorini will do the kicking. The offensive line will have center Bill Hart, third SMU player on the squad; center Don Popplewell and guard Dennis Havig, both of Colorado; guard Ernie Janet of Washington, and tackles Bob Richards of California and Dean Shatarnick of Kansas State.

The defense will have two of USC's famed "wild bunch," Charlie Weaver at end and Greg Slough at linebacker. Tackles Craig Hanneman of Oregon State and Tim Oesterling of UCLA, along with Bob Creech of Texas Christian, round out a fearsome front "four."

All-round handyman will be Harry Reed of Weber State, who is listed as a defensive end and linebacker but has played also at tackle, flanker and running back.

Crowder will be assisted by Hayden Fry, Southern Methodist, and Jim Owens of Washington.

The West players arrive in San Francisco Dec. 22 and will train at Stanford.

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A&M Defeats College of Ozarks

MONTICELLO, Ark. (AP) — Arkansas A&M hit 13 of its first 14 shots from the field and went on to a 107-90 victory over College of the Ozarks here Thursday night.

The Weevils, now 2-0 in AIC play, led 32-13 with less than nine minutes remaining in the first half and removed their regulars from the lineup. However, Ozarks closed the gap to 49-34 at the half and the first team returned to action in the second half.

Ricky Mobley led the winners with 28 points and Tommy Morrison added 20. Ronnie Graham had 24 and John Reed 21 for the losers. It was the conference opener for Ozarks.

'Happy Fella' Top Pacer of the Year

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Most Happy Fella, winner of the Cane Futurity, Little Brown Jug, Messenger, Adios and Shapiro This Year, has been named the top 3-year-old pacer of 1970.

Timothy T, who captured the Hambletonian, Kentucky Futurity and Colonial, will reign as the 3-year-old trotter of the year.

The U.S. Trotting Association said Most Happy Fella collected 152 votes and Timothy T 190 votes in its nationwide poll of turf writers.

Most Happy Fella, a Meadow Skipper colt, earned \$387,248 with 16 triumphs for Egyptian Acre Stable of New Egypt, N.J.

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Miscellaneous

3. Lost

LOST MALE SHAGGY Silver and Black Poodle, has black collar with stones. If found, call collect 234-3237, Magnolia. \$25 Reward.

12-1-4tp

4. Notice

WHY BUY DRIED out Christmas Trees, poor colored or artificial trees, when you can get fresh home grown Scotch Pine and Arizona Cypress trees at competitive prices? Opening December 3... Wright's Greenhouses. Sales yard downtown at Walnut and Third, (Highway 67 E.) Open until 8 p.m. daily.

12-1-1mc

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12-2-4tp

HOME CURED MEAT Sugar cured and hickory smoked. Hams \$1.20 per pound, bacon 90c pound. Shipped anywhere in U.S.A. Russell's Curb Market, 902 West Third, 777-9933.

12-2-1mc

Wanted

13. Miscellaneous

BUY-RANCH and Timberland, city residence property; see or call Buck Williams, 777-5884 or 777-2888.

11-5-1f

HIGHEST PRICES Paid for Pecans. Pat Rateliff, 110 South Walnut. Phone 777-5284.

11-10-1mc

WANTED TO BUY Pecans, Black Walnuts, Peanuts, and Hickory Nuts. Russell's Curb Market, 777-9933.

11-17-1mc

WANTED TO BUY two Bird Dogs for Quail season. Call 777-5368, Ray Lawrence.

12-1-4tp

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15. Apartments-furnished

FOR LEASE AT HILLCREST AND IMPERIAL—1 and 2 bedroom apartments. Central air conditioning. Utilities paid. Some furnished, \$100 up 777-2363, or 777-6731. Also, full equipped EFFICIENCY apartments available by the week.

11-2-1f

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12-1-6tp

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12-1-1f

15. Apartments-furnished

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12-1-4tc

21. Houses-unfurnished

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11-16-1f

FOR RENT TWO bedroom brick home with central heating and air conditioning. 1801 South Main. Phone 777-3471 and ask for Mrs. Putrell.

12-2-6tc

23. Miscellaneous

FOR LEASE Building at 120 East Second. Formerly occupied by Keith's Jewelry Store. Modern lighting fixtures, walk in vault, etc. Betts Properties, c/o James H. Pilkinton, Hope.

12-2-6tp

27. Ambulance Service

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11-7-1f

Services Offered

35. Dry Cleaning

UPTIGHT?? Store your summer clothes free—at National Cleaners. We dry clean them expertly, at low cost—then we'll bag and store them free! Call 777-2764 for convenient pickup and delivery and relax!!

11-4-1mc

39. Job Printing

QUALITY COMMERCIAL Printing - Letterpress or Offset. ETTER PRINTING CO. 983-2634, Washington, Arkansas.

11-26-1f

PIONEER PRINTERS, Village Shopping Center. Printing, office supplies, office furniture, 3M Photo copiers and supplies. 777-6747.

11-9-1f

40. Meat Processing

RALPH MONTGOMERY Custom Slaughtering, and meat processing. Phone 777-3808 or 777-6088.

11-1-1f

41. Miscellaneous

ROWE'S LEATHER.. Hand made saddles, saddle repair, chaps, bridles, blankets, spurs, belts, billfolds, holsters. 777-4666.

11-17-1f

47. Rug Cleaning

CARPET AND BRAIDED rugs cleaned. For free estimation Phone: 777-4670 or see Curtis Yates.

11-20-1f


FOR "A JOB WELL Done" Feeling? Clean carpets with Blue Lustre. Rent Electric Shampooer \$1. Home Furniture Co.

11-28-6tc

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11-6-1f

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55.A Appliance Repair

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11-20-1f

58. Landscaping

DOZER WORK—Land clearing, dirt work, D450, Case tilt and angle blade, \$12.50 per hour. Minimum \$25.00. Winch truck tilt bed \$10.00 per hour. David Nicholas Dozer Co., 777-6084.

11-21-1f

59. Miscellaneous

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11-19-1f

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11-9-1f

60. Painting Services

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11-17-1f

SPRAY PAINTING—contracted or hourly rates. Urethane foam applied, roofing, vanities, insulation. Also Arctic Coat paint for sale—wholesale only. P.O. Box 447 Blevins, Ark. 501-874-3711 or 501-874-3601.

11-24-1mp

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12-1-6tp

62. Piano Tuning

EXPERT PIANO TUNING and repair. Call 777-5457 for more information.

11-19-1f

63. Plumbing Services

PONDER PLUMBING Company. Contractor, repair, heating, Sewer, etc. Day or night 777-5528 or 887-6878.

11-6-1f

67. Antiques

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11-18-1mc

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12-4-18tc

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12-2-4tp

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12-4-1tc

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12-2-12tc

WIN AT BRIDGE

Romeo Scores Big With the Old Man

By Oswald & James Jacoby

NORTH 4
♦ 10 6
♥ 8 2
♠ K 10 8 6 3
♣ A 7 5 2

WEST
♦ K 8 4 2
♥ 6 5 3
♠ 5
♣ J 10 8 6 3

EAST (D)
♦ A 7 5
♥ A
♠ Q J 9 7 2
♣ K Q 9 4

SOUTH
♦ Q J 9 3
♥ K Q J 10 9 7 4
♠ A 4
♣ Void

Both vulnerable

East South West North
1 ♦ 4 ♥ Pass Pass
Pass

Opening lead—♦ 5

In our JACOBY MODERN version of Shakespeare, we find that Romeo and Juliet had met at a bridge club. Juliet had persuaded her parents to play in a Swiss team game with them. Her father had argued that no Montague could play bridge but Juliet's tears had prevailed and good fortune had attended the new team.

As you know, in a Swiss team you play a series of short matches at IMP scoring. The Capulets, plus one Montague, needed one more win to finish first. They finished the match and started to compare scores. Coming to the last board, they trailed by eight IMPs. Old man Capulet remarked, "We're plus 100 but it won't do us any good. The best you can get is plus 140 with your cards and that will just give us six IMPs."

Juliet smiled demurely and said, "Plus 620, Romeo bid and made four hearts." "Wonderful," said the old man. "Did West lead his singleton diamond against you? That's what I led."

"As a matter of fact, he

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did," replied Romeo. "What's more, Juliet looked surprised at my first two plays. I went up with dummy's king of diamonds and discarded my ace of diamonds on her ace of clubs." "A play worthy of a Capulet," was the old man's response. "Since Juliet wants to marry you, you have my blessing, provided, of course, that you will play with us in the National Mixed team championships this summer."

Romeo's ace discard prevented East from giving his partner a diamond ruff.

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♥+CARD Sense♦♦

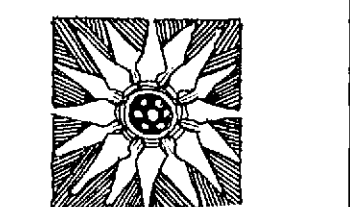
The bidding has been:

South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass
2 N.T. Pass 3 ♦ Pass
3 ♦ Pass 4 ♠ Pass
4 ♠ Pass 4 ♠ Pass

You, South, hold:
♠ K 6 ♥ A 9 7 ♦ K Q 4 ♣ A Q J 3 2
What do you do now?
A—Bid four no-trump. Your partner is showing second-round heart control and there may be seven waiting for you.

TODAY'S QUESTION
Your partner bids five diamonds to show one ace. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow



By FRANK O'NEAL



LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M. D.

WORLD ALMANAC FACTS

The Symptoms that Point To Cancer of the Rectum

By LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M.D.

Dear Doctor—What are the symptoms of cancer of the rectum?

Dear Reader—This is a very important question. Cancer of the bowel ranks second or third (depending on criteria) as the cause of death from cancer. And 60 per cent of these are in the rectum. About half of these can be felt by the physician's finger with a simple rectal examination. If your doctor doesn't do a simple rectal examination for your periodic physical examination, ask him to. It is too important to omit. In many instances it is a more important examination than looking in the mouth. Of course, both should be done. An X ray of the bowel does not show the portion of the rectum where most cancers are located. You need to feel, look through a scope or both.

About 80 per cent of patients with cancer of the rectum report a change in their bowel habit in recent months. Sometimes this is constipation but usually diarrhea. Even though a bowel movement has just been completed, there is still a sense of urgency and the patient may pass mucus or gas and sometimes blood. This problem is common in the morning; then in the afternoon there may be a normal bowel movement, sometimes with pain.

Bleeding of varying amounts from the rectum may be noted on the paper, or in the stool. Anyone with bleeding from the rectum MUST have an examination. Weight loss, weakness and signs of severe illness usually occur only after the cancer is more advanced. The two most important early signs are change in bowel habit, as I have discussed and bleeding from the rectum.

Most cancers of the rectum can be diagnosed early enough to obtain a complete cure. Successful treatment is dependent upon early detection.

Cancer of the rectum can and does occur in young people before the age of 30. You simply can't afford to ignore unexplained rectal bleeding or persistent change in bowel habit at any age.

Dear Dr. Lamb—Can a mole become malignant? I have one just below my shoulder blade. It is about one-fourth inch round and dark brown. It was smooth; now it has become raised and rough and looks like threads through it. It itches and burns all the time.

Dear Reader—Yes, a mole CAN become malignant. A malignant mole can spread rapidly, too. Any mole or other skin growth that begins to enlarge, change color or ulcerate should be seen at once by a doctor. Moles are constantly irritated, like those on the face where a man shaves, or those near the belt, should be removed as a precaution.

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

Winter Opera

ACROSS 60 City in Judah (Bib.)

1 "Prince—" (Borodin)

5 "—" (Verdi)

9 "—" (Mozart)

12 Arrive

13 Ink stain

14 Copper

source, for example

15 Eve's son

16 Type

17 Donkey

(comb. form)

18 Spatulate and oblong

20 "—" (Bizet)

22 Fanfare

24 Safeguards

27 Fish food

31 Footless

32 Comparative suffix

33 Vineyard

34 By means of

35 Copulative verb

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38 Aquatic mammal

40 Position of value

42 Make bigger

44 Greek assembly places

47 Female monster

51 Title of respect

52 Actual

54 Encourage

55 Cloth measure

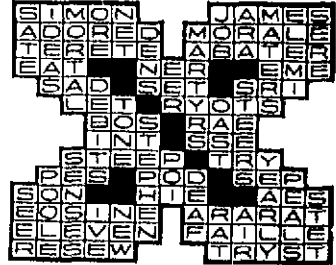
56 Wicked

57 Split

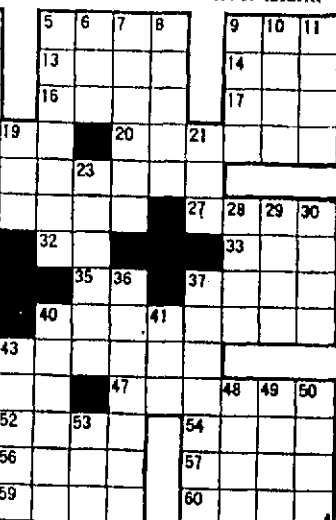
58 Fruit drink

59 Fixes in place

Answer to Previous Puzzle



21 Male sheep
23 Race-earths
24 Drops in water, as bait
25 Fencing sword
26 Roman market places
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29 Sandarac tree
30 Hollow cylinder
36 Insects in list
37 Needle-
39 shaped
40 Gaelic sea god
41 Arm cover
42 Oval
43 Nostrils
44 On the ocean
45 Overlay with gold
46 Vouchteen (her.)
48 Black (poet.)
49 Body fluids (var.)
50 Stalk
53 River island



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Willy Want Ad says...



WANT ADS:
Your Key
to Instant
Results

"CUT IT OUT!"

Up to 15 words; 4 Days 2.60; 6 Days 3.20; 16 - 20 words; 4 Days 2.05; 6 Days 3.80

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Hope Star

SIDE GLANCESBy GILL FOX



"YOUR son got his driver's license today, too, huh?"

CARNIVALBy DICK TURNER



"Whaddya mean I'm not doing any better . . . two more neighbors you don't like moved yesterday!"

FLASH GORDONBy DAN BARRY



THE BORN LOSERBy ART SANSON



OUT OUR WAYBy NEG COCKRAN



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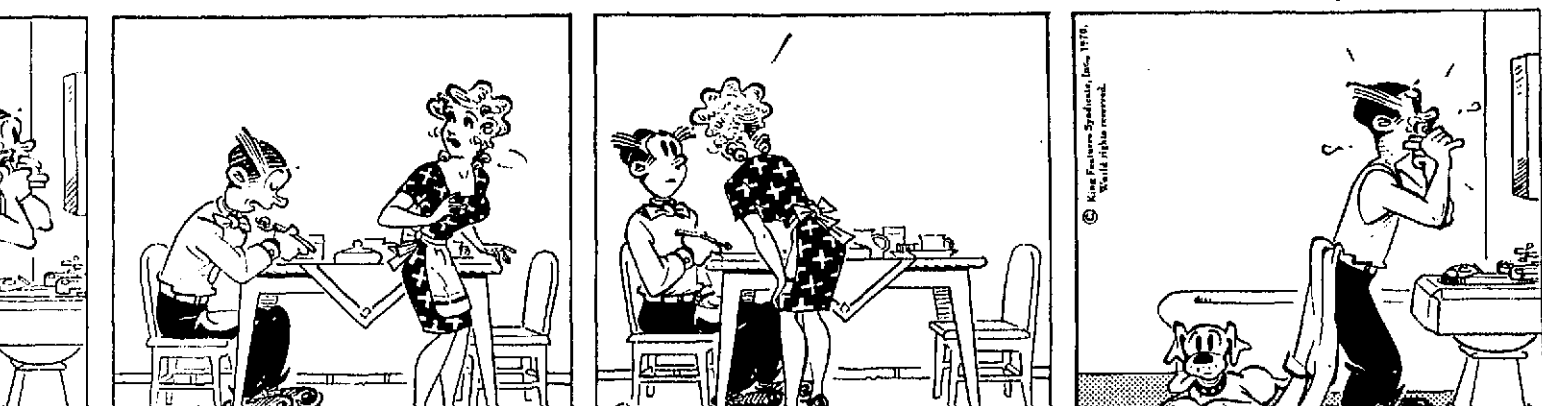
QUICK QUIZ BLONDIE

Q—Which chemical element has two names in the English-speaking world?
A—Aluminum is in common use in the United States; aluminium is used in Great Britain.

Q—How are the planets kept in their orbits?
A—The sun's gravitation holds the planets in their paths.

Q—How does the diameter of the sun compare with that of the earth?
A—The diameter of the sun is about 865,000 miles, 109 times that of the earth.

By CHIC YOUNG



OUR BOARDING HOUSEBy MAJOR HOOPLE




THE CREDIBILITY BULGE

TIZZYby Kate Osann

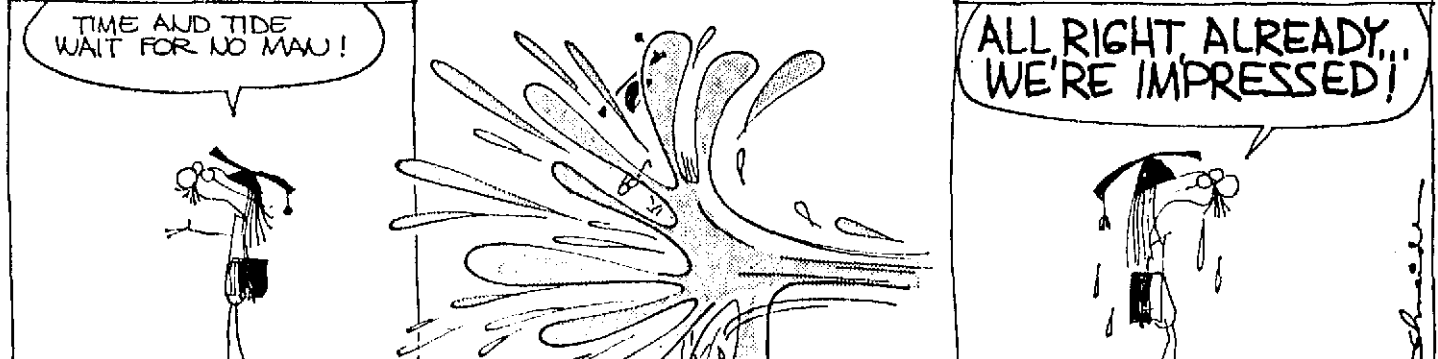


"I'm collecting for a Christmas fund—I think my folks are going to need it!"

ALLEY OOPBy V. T. HAMLIN

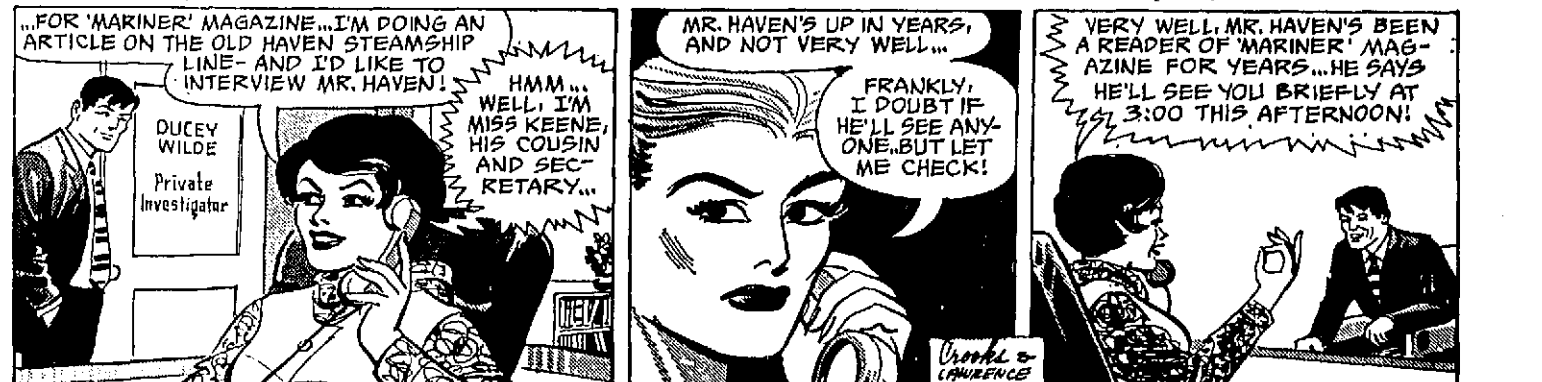


EEK & MEEKBy HOMER SCHNEIDER

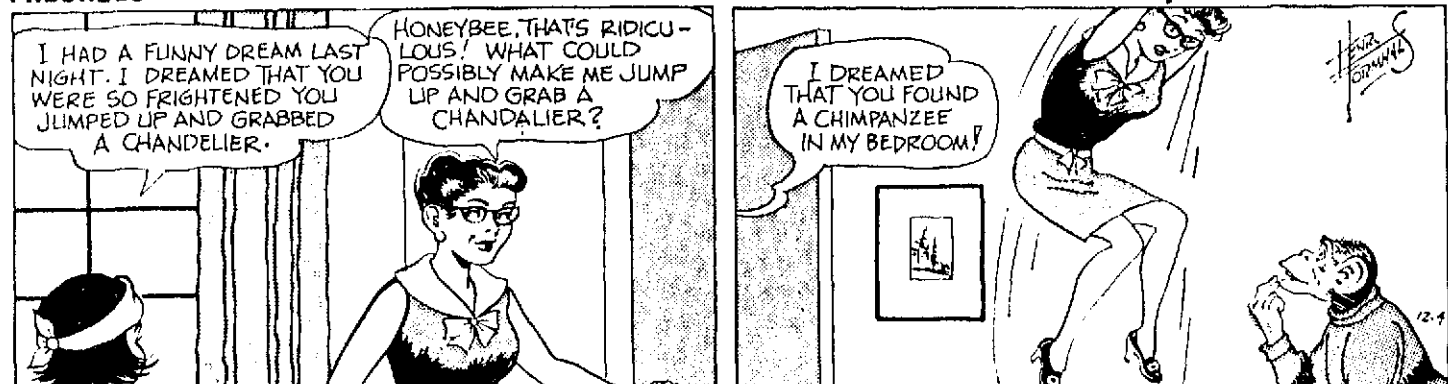


ALL RIGHT ALREADY, WE'RE IMPRESSED!

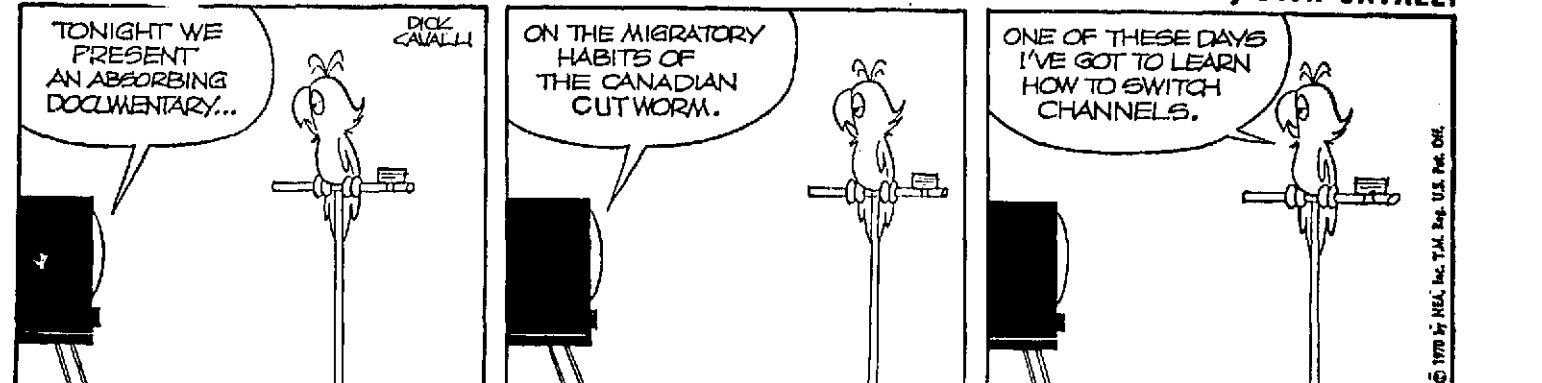
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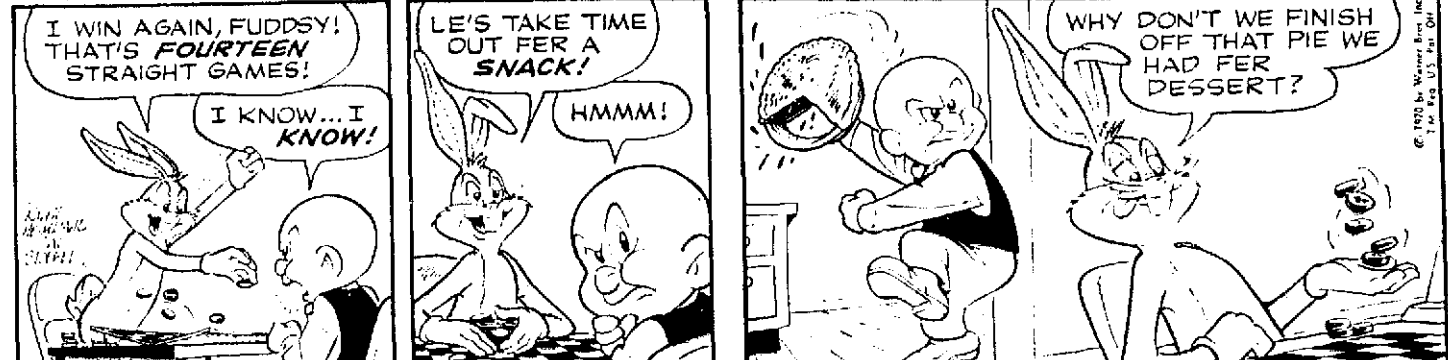
FRECKLESBy HENRY FORMHALS




WINTHROPBy DICK CAVALLI



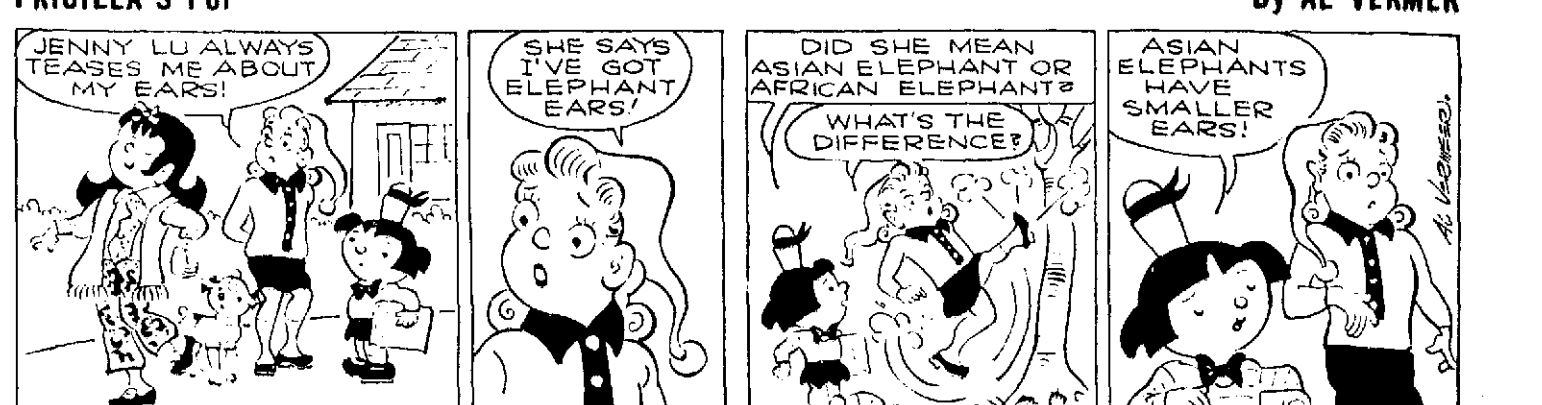
BUGS BUNNYBy RALPH HEIMDAHL



CAMPUS CLATTERBy LARRY LEWIS



PRICILLA'S POPBy AL VERMER



Church News

HOPE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Highway 67 E. and Rocky Mound Road.
M.H. Peebles, Minister
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
10:50 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. — Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Mid-week Bible Study

CHURCH OF CHRIST
5th and Grady Streets
David Nicholas, Minister
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Bible Classes for all ages
10:40 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. — Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
Mid Week Bible Study
7:00 p.m. — Classes for all ages open for discussion
You are welcome to all services.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Elder L.C. Washington, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:30 a.m. — Sunday School, Mrs. Emma Lee Releford, Supt.
12:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. — Y.P.W.W., Mrs. Lillie Kimble, President
7:00 p.m. — Prayer Service

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Pentecostal Temple
911 Bell Street
Elder O.N. Dennis, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
Mr. J.P. Dennis, Supt.
11:30 a.m. — Morning Worship
Pastoral Sundays 1st and 3rd SUNDAYS
6:00 p.m. — Y.P.W.W. Mrs. Clara Walker, President
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship
MONDAY
7:00 p.m. — Worship Service
WEDNESDAY
4:30 p.m. — Junior Church
Mrs. Clara Walker, President
FRIDAY
7:00 p.m. — Worship Service
Pastors Aid Comm.
SATURDAY
2:30 p.m. — Sun Shine Band Mrs. G.B. Garland, President

MT. ZION C.M.E. CHURCH
Rev. Thomas E. Cherry, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School, Mrs. Callie Boatner, Superintendent
11:00 a.m. — Worship Service
6:30 p.m. — Young People's Meeting.
7:00 p.m. — Worship Service
MONDAY
3:30 p.m. (1st & 3rd) Missionary No. 1-Mrs. T.J. Johnson, President
2:30 p.m. — (2nd & 4th) Stewardess Board Meeting.
WEDNESDAY
2:30 p.m. General Missionary Meeting. — Mrs. Elzadie Palmore, President
7:00 p.m. — Teachers Meeting
7:30 p.m. — Usher Board Meeting, Mrs. Daisy Muldrew, President
FRIDAY
7:00 p.m. Steward Board Meeting — Mr. T.J. Johnson, President
7:00 p.m. — Willing Workers' Club, Mrs. Ever Ray, President
SATURDAY
4:00 p.m. — Junior Choir Rehearsal-Annie Edwards, President
6:30 p.m. Senior Choir, Willie Stuart, President

BEEBEE MEMORIAL C.M.E. CHURCH
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. — Church School
Mrs. Annie Bell Yerger, Supt.
10:45 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. — Young People's 4th Sunday Meeting, Mrs. Mattie Sanders, Counselor
7:30 p.m. — Evening Evangelistic Services
MONDAY
9:00 p.m. — Official Board Meeting
3:00 p.m. — Missionary Circle No. 2
TUESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Usher Board Meeting
6:00 p.m. — Missionary Circle No. 1

BODCAW NO. 2 BAPTIST CHURCH
Bodcaw, Ark.
Allison Brown, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
10:50 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. — Training Service
7:15 p.m. — Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
2:00 p.m. — W.M.A.
7:00 p.m. — Service
ST. PAUL C.M.E. CHURCH
Washington, Arkansas
Rev. Luther Henry, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Church School Prof. G.S. Williamson, Supt.
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
Service
5:30 p.m. — C.Y.F., Mrs. Evelyn Williamson, Counselor, Miss Wilma Cheatham, President
6:30 p.m. — Choir Rehearsal

DAVIS CHAPEL CHURCH
Wm. D. Bright, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Bible Study
10:45 a.m. — Worship
6:00 p.m. — Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Bible Study

BETHAL A.M.E. CHURCH
Dr. W.G. Wynn, Pastor
Mrs. E.M. Nelson, SS Supt.
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. — A.C.E. League
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship
TUESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Choir Rehearsal

FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Fourth and Ferguson Street
Rev. B.W. Lane, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. — Radio Broadcast "Harvestime"
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
Douglas Williams Superintendent
11:00 a.m. — Message by Pastor
7:00 p.m. — Evangelistic Service
WEDNESDAY
1:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting time
7:00 p.m. — Youth Service and Message by Pastor
We invite you to attend.

SPRINGHILL METHODIST CHURCH
Spring Hill, Arkansas
Connie A. Robbins, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship

GOSPEL LIGHT HOUSE
Andres and Avenue C
Jos. T. Rowe, Pastor
SUNDAY
7:30 a.m. — Radio Broadcast
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Midweek Service
You are cordially invited.

ROCKY MOUND BAPTIST CHURCH
Merlin Cox, Pastor
Floyd Pharris, S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship

EPHESUS PRIMITIVE BAPTIST
Eld. J.B. Browning, Pastor
Highway 67, Emmet, Ark.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Song Service, First Sunday
11:00 a.m. — Preaching Service, First Sunday
SATURDAY
2:00 p.m. — Preaching Service and Conference, First Saturday of the month.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
505 E. Division St.
SERVICES:
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship
7:00 p.m. — Wed. Prayer Meeting
Pastor Richard Wallace
"THE CHURCH AFFILIATED WITH JESUS"

SOUTHSIDE ASSEMBLY OF GOD SCHEDULE OF SERVICES
SUNDAY
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. — Christ Ambassador's Service
7:30 p.m. — Sunday Night Services
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Midweek Services
S.E. Tehce — Pastor

SHOVER SPRINGS MISSIONARY BAPTIST
Shover Springs, Ark.
Chester Bullock, Pastor
Howard Reese S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. — B.T.S.
7:15 p.m. — Evening Worship
TUESDAY
7:30 p.m. — First Tuesday night of each month the W.M.A. and Brotherhood meets.
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Mid-week Services

NEW LIBERTY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Four Miles South of Emmet
Bro. Harold Marcum, Pastor
Preaching every Sunday. Jeff Langston S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
Classes, Sermon by Pastor
6:30 p.m. — B.T.S.
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship
Sermon by Pastor
THIRD SATURDAY
2:00 p.m. — Singing Hope Nursing Home
FIRST SUNDAYS
2:00 p.m. — Precious Memories Singing

SARDIS BAPTIST MISSIONARY CHURCH
8 Miles S. Palmos Rd.
Delmer Irvin, Pastor
B. V. Jester, S.S. Supt.
Meetings are 1st and 3rd Sundays
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship

PROVIDENCE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Perrytown, Arkansas
Carlton Roberts, Pastor
Music Director: Harold Duke
Pianist: Sherry Patterson
SUNDAY
8:00 to 8:30 a.m. — "Amazing Grace" Radio Program over KXAR
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School: James Vess, Supt.
10:50 a.m. — Morning Worship Service
6:00 p.m. — B.T.S., Brice Thomas, Jr., Pres.
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship Service
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Mid-Week Bible Study
7:45 p.m. — Teachers Meeting
7:45 p.m. — Ladies Auxiliary and Mens Brotherhood meets every second and fourth weeks.
THURSDAY
7:00 p.m. — Visitation

SOUTHSIDE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Lewisville Highway
Elder Chester Daniels, Pastor
Bro. Luke Treece, Music
Verdell Trece, Pianist
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
Supt. Elder Johnny Teague
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship Service
6:00 p.m. — Training Service
Alan Foster, President
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship Service
MONDAY
7:30 p.m. — WMA
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Midweek Worship Service
THURSDAY
Thursday night visitation
7:30 p.m. — Youth Fellowship

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall, 1712 South Elm
Eugene Shuster, Minister
SUNDAY
3:00 p.m. — Week Watchtower Study
TUESDAY
8:00 p.m. — Bible Study: Babylon has Fallen — God's Kingdom Rules
FRIDAY
7:30 p.m. — Theocratic Ministry School
8:30 P.M. — Service Meeting

OAK GROVE METHODIST
1 1/2 Miles East of Shover Springs
Connie A. Robbins, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. — Morning Worship
10:30 a.m. — Church School

MT. CANNAN BAPTIST CHURCH
Sherman and Beech St.
Rev. E.D. Lonnie, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning worship
WEDNESDAY
3:00 p.m. — Home Mission

THE SUPREME COUNCIL OF THE HOUSE JACOB OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA INC. WASHINGTON, D.C.
Southwest corner East Avenue H and North Walker
Overseer — Bishop C.S. Hopper
Pastor — Elder W.H. Terrell
Asst. Pastor — Fred Artis Sr.
Pianist — Elds. Velma Arlis, Diann Ware, and St. Mae Alice Thomas
SUNDAY
11:00 a.m. — Morning Services
7:30 p.m. — Night Services
FRIDAY
7:30 p.m. — Regular Services 3rd Sunday each month Young People Day Services: 11:00 a.m. — 3 p.m. — 7:30 p.m.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
McNab, Arkansas
Pastor: Elder Harold Griffin
Sunday School Supt. Charles Hawthorne
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
5:00 p.m. Evening Worship

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
North Main and Ave. B.
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School
10:45 a.m. — Morning Worship with Leon Taylor
5:00 p.m. — Vesper Service, with David Pearson
THURSDAY
7:30 p.m. — Choir Practice

FORREST HILL BAPTIST CHURCH
Hwy. 4 East...9 miles
G.W. Hooten, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday Morning
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. — Training Service
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Bro. I.J. McKamie, Minister
Olen Smith—Supt.
McNab, Ark.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship Service
6:00 p.m. — Evening Worship Service

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD
North Bell Street
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Worship Service
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
513 South Elm Street
Rev. Al Butler, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School
10:50 a.m. — Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. — Youth and Adult meetings
7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic service
TUESDAY
1:30 p.m. — Prayer and fasting
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

OUR LADY OF GOOD HOPE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Third and Walker Streets
Rev. Joseph Enderlin
SUNDAY
8:30 a.m. — Sunday Mass
Sunday School immediately after Masses.
Sacred Heart Devotions on the first Friday of every month at 8:00 a.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1201 West Avenue B
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. — Sunday School, Hervey Holt, Director
10:55 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. — Training Union, Gilbert Ross, Director
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship
MONDAY
7:30 p.m. — Men's Bible Study
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Teachers Meeting
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting
FRIDAY
8:00 to a.m. to 8:00 p.m. — Prayer Room

PROVIDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH
Hwy. 29 South
Elbert O'Steen, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School, Eugene Bobo, Supt.
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. — B.T.S.
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
Every other Wednesday night after first and third Sunday, Brotherhood meeting and W.M.A.
7:00 p.m. — "Welcome to all services"

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
Okay, Arkansas
Stacy Thrasher, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Worship Service
6:30 p.m. — Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
6:30 p.m. — Prayer Service

LONOKE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Walter White, Pastor
Ella Robertson, Supt.
SUNDAY
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
MONDAY
5:00 p.m. — Boys Club
TUESDAY
6:00 p.m. — Spiritlifters and Lonoles
7:00 p.m. — Celestial Choir
8:00 p.m. — Imperial Choir

LIBERTY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
W. L. Bazaar, Pastor
On California - off Rosston Road Hwy. 4
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. — BTS
7:00 p.m. — Evening Service
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

POWERS MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Fulton Route 1
SUNDAY
10:15 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. — Singing
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship

NEW HOPE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Washington Hwy. 3 Miles North
C. L. Roberts, Pastor
Dexter Alford — S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School, Classes for all ages
10:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship with sermon by Pastor
6:30 p.m. — B.T.S. Mary Jane Hatfield, President
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Mid-week Services
FIRST AND THIRD THURSDAY
1:30 p.m. — W.M.A. Meeting

GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
300 N. Ferguson Street
Clyde Johnson, Pastor
Wade Warren, Music
Mrs. Wade Warren, Organist
Janice Lauterback, Pianist
SUNDAY
9:00 a.m. — Rock of Ages
Broadcast over KXAR
9:50 a.m. — Sunday School, Lyle Allen, Supt.
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
Sermon by Pastor
6:00 p.m. — Training Service
Don Webb, President
7:00 p.m. — Worship Service
MONDAY
4:00 p.m. — G.A.'s
TUESDAY
2:00 p.m. — Senior WMA
2:00 p.m. — Cora Mae Auxiliary
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Teachers Meeting
7:30 p.m. — Worship Service

UNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
5th & Hervey St.
Gordon Renshaw, Pastor
Shelby Cowling, Music Director
Mrs. Jack Brown, Pianist
Mr. Edward Cooper, Organist
Sunday School Superintendent, Mr. Roland Ballard.
SUNDAY
8:30 a.m. — KXAR Radio
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School
10:45 a.m. — Morning Worship
5:00 p.m. — Youth Choir
6:00 p.m. — Training Service
6:45 p.m. — Evenings Worship
MONDAY
7:30 p.m. — 2nd Brotherhood
3rd Nancy Courtney
7:00 p.m. — 3rd Nancy Courtney
W.M.A.
6:45 p.m. — 4th Church Supper
TUESDAY
1:30 p.m. — LaTrell Bateman
W.M.A.
WEDNESDAY
6:00 p.m. — Primary Choir
G.M.A. I
Galilean I
Sunbeam
6:45 p.m. — Junior Choir
G.M.A. II
Galilean II

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH
Spring Hill
Charles Jones, Pastor
James Yates, S.S. Supt.
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
Message - Pastor
Evening Service
6:30 p.m. — BTS
Message - Pastor
6:30 p.m. — Singing each 4th Sunday eve.
TUESDAY
4:00 p.m. — Galileans
4:00 p.m. — Junior GA
3:30 p.m. — Girls Auxiliary
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Mid-week Service

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
James E. Sewell - Minister
Thomas E. Hays, Jr. - S.S. Supt.
Mrs. R. L. Gosnell - Organist
SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. — Coffee Hour
9:50 a.m. — Church School Hour
Women's CLC Class, Mrs. Crit Stuart, Teacher
Women's Discussion Group, Mrs. Arthur Wimmell, Leader
Men's Bible Class, James Pilkinton, Teacher
Mixed Couples Class, Clyde Fouse, Leader
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
Anthem: "I Wonder As I Wander" Niles
Mrs. Tom Ed Hays, Jr. Soloist
6:00 p.m. — PYF Meeting
MONDAY
7:00 p.m. — Choir Practice
TUESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Explorer Scouts Meeting
WEDNESDAY
3:00 p.m. — Jr. and Primary Choir Practice
7:00 p.m. — PYF Youth Council Meeting
THURSDAY
7:00 p.m. — Boy Scouts Meeting

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:30 a.m. — Sacrament Service

CHURCH OF CHRIST
North Walker Street
Clyde Nations, Minister
2nd and 4th Sundays
10:45 a.m. — Bible Class
11:00 a.m. — Preaching
7:00 p.m. — Bible Class each Friday

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Norris Steele, Minister
Mrs. B. C. Hyatt, Organist
SUNDAY
9:40 a.m. - Church school (all ages)
Larry Patterson will teach the Century Bible Class
10:50 a.m. - Morning Worship Service
Communion Sermon: Rev. Norris Steele, Minister
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
3:00 p.m. - Handbell Choir Service of the Methodist Children Home, Little Rock, Ark.
In the First Methodist Church, Prescott, Ark.
2:00 p.m. - All Choir Members of the Hope Methodist Church are asked to meet in our church at this hour to go to Prescott together as a group.

BODCAW NO. 1 MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Church
7:00 p.m. — Evening Services
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Worship Services

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD
913 N. Sherman St.
Overseer and Pastor — Elder Jesse Graves
Elder Ida Bell Assistant Pastor
Mitchell Heard S.S. Supt.
Lillian Flenory, Church Clerk
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Service
Bible Study, Pastor in charge.
The Public is invited to come and witness the Pentecostal Power.

BELL'S CHAPEL NAZARENE CHURCH
Blevins, Arkansas
Rev. Wayne Bell, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. — Sunday Night Services
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Mid-week Prayer Service

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
322 N. Main
C. C. Truitt, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:40 a.m. — Sunday School
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship
4:30 p.m. — Revival time, KXAR
5:30 p.m. — Youth Choir Practice
6:00 p.m. — Choir Practice
Jr. Youth Services
Sr. Youth Services
Peoples Panel
7:00 p.m. — Evangelistic Rally
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting
7:30 p.m. — Bible Study

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH
Spring Hill
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Could of Won Over Anyone Else, WR Says

By ROBERT SHAW
Associated Press Writer
LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller says that "without reservation" he could have beaten any other Democrat except Dale Bumpers in the general election, and that he could have defeated Bumpers given another two weeks.

Rockefeller made the observation in an interview in which he also said that he had "invested" more than \$35 million in Arkansas in the last 10 to 15 years in four areas.

The two-term Republican governor said that included in this figure was an expenditure of "probably in excess" of \$10 million for "good government" over the years that he has been politically active. Asked if this included expenditures of his four campaigns for governor, he said: "It had to."

Rockefeller did not break down the "good government" spending by categories, but he said that it included his expenditures as chairman of the Arkansas Industrial Development Commission, for the Republican party in its efforts to build a two-party system and for his activities as GOP national committeeman for the state since 1961. Although he did not mention it, it is known that the governor has contributed to the campaigns of other Republican candidates.

Other areas in which Rockefeller said he had "invested" was "in excess" of \$10 million for Winrock Farms and its Carlisle Division, "well in excess" of \$5 million for schools, hospitals and educational programs and "in excess" of \$10 million in such endeavors as the Tower Building in Little Rock and Winrock Enterprises, which includes homebuilding.

In revealing the figures for the first time, Rockefeller said there was no way in which he could break down his personal expenses for promoting better government in the state.

The governor had been ranked during the campaign at questions about his campaign spending, but said during a post-election news conference that he had observed a lack of inquiry about his philanthropic activities.

Asked why he was unable to defeat Bumpers in the Nov. 3 general election, Rockefeller said:

"He was new, he was fresh, he had no record. There was nothing to attack, and don't forget that Arkansas is still predominantly Democratic in direction and there were a good many Democrats who wanted back in the fold. Dale Bumpers represented that which they were looking for."

"His dramatic defeat of Faubus was next to impossible to stop."

Asked whether Bumpers had virtually sewn up the governorship by overwhelming former Gov. Orval E. Faubus in the Democratic primary runoff election, Rockefeller repeated his campaign statements that Bumpers did not take positions on the issues.

He said Bumpers could not have continued not taking positions on issues for any length of time, adding that the news media and the voters were "getting restive at the appearance of (Bumpers') indecisiveness."

Rockefeller said "another two weeks could have reversed it" if the general election campaign had been longer.

Although all public polls had said Rockefeller was going to be beaten badly in advance of Bumpers' landslide victory, the governor said he was confident that he might win. He said, however, that he was well aware of the assets Bumpers brought into the race.

"I wouldn't say I had lost confidence," Rockefeller said. "I stayed with it to the very end, fighting for what I was standing for and for what I hoped to accomplish in the next two years."

Asked if he stood by his original assessment, made shortly after Bumpers' runoff victory over Faubus, that Bumpers was a "fine, clean, honest young man," Rockefeller said: "I've seen nothing to change my point of view."

But asked what Bumpers' electoral mandate was, in view of his own statements during the campaign that Bumpers was not confronting the issues, Rockefeller said: "That's a question I asked all during the

Bushel No. 500,000



— Hope (Ark.) photo
IRVIN TOWNSEND — JOE HAMPTON

Irvin Townsend, manager of Southern Grain & Elevator Corporation of Hope, is shown presenting a \$100 check to Joe Hampton of Rt. 4, Hope, for bringing in the 500,000th bushel of soybeans this season to Southern Grain.

The prize-winning load was brought in Sunday night and ran the total money to over \$1,000,000 paid by Southern Grain to farmers in this area for soybeans.

The company started in Hope in 1966 and this season has shipped over 200 cars or approximately 600,000 bushels of soybeans to ports of New Orleans, Baton Rouge and Reserve, La. and Beaumont, Texas. From these ports the soybeans are shipped to processing plants in Japan, Germany, Denmark, Holland and France.

Assisting Townsend are Mrs. Doris Worthey, bookkeeper and Mrs. Sue Askew, secretary.

campaign. He now has a mandate, but for what?"

Rockefeller otherwise declined to be critical of Bumpers. He said the "great test" of the governor-elect would come in the next 90 days. He praised two of the advisers to Bumpers, Sen. Ben Allen and state Rep. Calvin R. Ledbetter Jr., both of Little Rock.

The governor said persons who are "more representative of the old guard" of the Democratic party might be linked later with Bumpers, but he said it was too early to evaluate the governor-elect.

"I don't think it's fair to follow this line of reasoning in the sense that this is a tough job he's taking on," Rockefeller said. "He'll prove himself in the next 90 days."

The governor said that because of a predominantly Democratic legislature and other factors "technically" Bumpers has a "stacked deck" in obtaining legislation, including possible tax increases.

"But I would not want to muddy the waters in terms of the future needs of Arkansas in projecting how he will play the stakes," Rockefeller said.

Rockefeller said that he had spent 10 years in building a political climate in which he said, ironically, Bumpers could win the governorship. He said he had established confidence in government during his two terms and as a result the voters felt more at ease at expressing themselves "and I got caught in the whirlwind."

The governor was asked if he was the victim of a political climate, acceptable to change, that he had created.

"I hadn't thought of it in exactly those terms, but I can't think of a good argument to prove you wrong," he said.

He said that if he has succeeded in changing the state's political climate, he has accomplished what he set out to do. "Therefore, I'm not bitter," Rockefeller said.

The governor said he did not think he was treated "shabbily" by the voters in the general election. He added that he thought his defeat was not connected in any way with the administration and policies of President Nixon. Vice President Spiro T. Agnew's appearance at Fort Smith in his behalf during the campaign won him as many votes as he might

have lost by Agnew's visit, Rockefeller said.

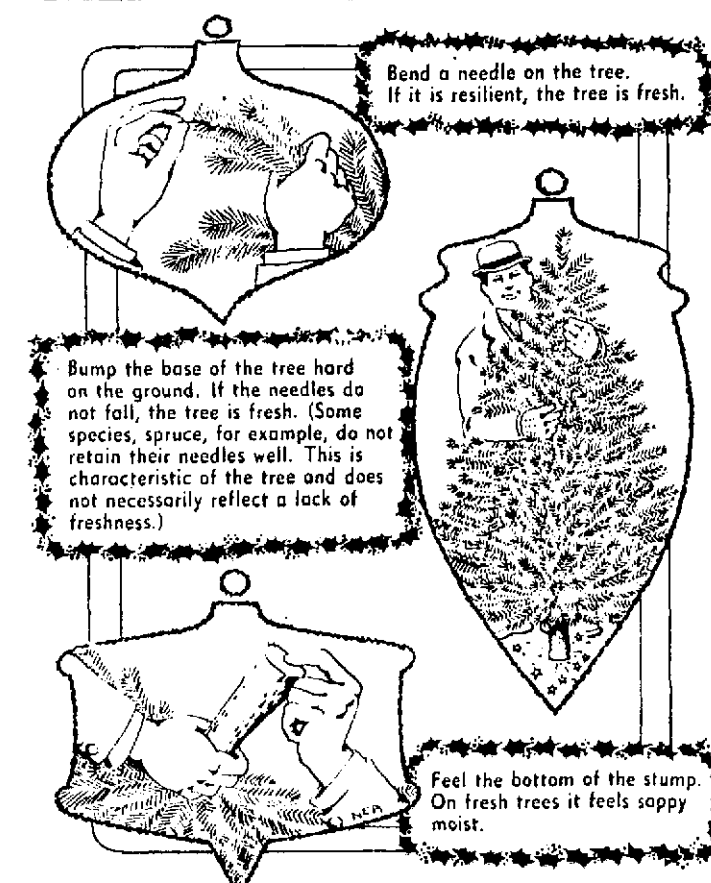
The governor said he did not expect that Bumpers' margin of victory would be as great as it was. He said it could be attributed in part to the voters being "restive, uncertain," but that this could not be blamed particularly on the national administration.

"At that particular stage of the game, I don't think you had that dissatisfaction (with the Nixon administration)," he said.

"... I don't think the war in Vietnam was an issue to the degree that some might think it was. The economy picture was very real in the minds of the people. The question of law and order was very real. Shucks, you had an awful lot of voters, and what might've bothered one didn't bother the other."

He said he felt that all factors, including a desire to reunite the Democratic party, that might in any way have been negative to himself tended to "snowball" in favor of Bumpers.

SELECTING YOUR CHRISTMAS TREE



Here are some tips from the Department of Agriculture's Forest Service for choosing a Christmas tree that will stay fresh and green throughout the holiday season.

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Prisoners Don't Live, They Vegetate

By JULES LOH
Associated Press Writer

Never fully awake; never soundly asleep. Never unbearably uncomfortable; never at ease.

The world of the American prisoner of war in North Vietnam is a twilight world in which he does not live but vegetates. Gradually the treadmill of deprivation and routine flattens his wit and crushes his initiative until he responds not to ideas or even to hunger or pain but, like Pavlov's dogs, only to the sound of a gong.

That, say men who have endured it, is the ultimate ordeal of the "Hanoi Hilton." The isolation and monotony of the prison, they say, surpasses in psychological horror and human degradation all the beatings and raps and diarrhea and morning emptyings of the honeybucket.

"If you think only in terms of physical torture you miss the subtlety of what we mean by 'inhuman' treatment," said Air Force Col. Norris M. Overly, who spent five months as a prisoner of the North Vietnamese and is now attending the National War College in Washington, D.C.

"A military man can anticipate beatings, can even expect it from someone who wants information. What he can't contend with is the sameness. The same cell, the same soup, the same propaganda, the same ... everything."

Other former prisoners concur. Even men like Navy Lt. Robert Frishman.

Exploding shrapnel shattered Frishman's right elbow when he was shot down Oct. 24, 1967. He was taken prisoner and released 21 months later, his elbow still unhealed—and his weight down 63 pounds. He now is recuperating in San Diego.

"The actual physical thing isn't so bad," he said of his prison experience. "I was struck with rocks and had knives jabbed at me and I was slapped around and tied up with ropes on my bad arm. But it's the isolation, the extended isolation, that gets you."

Air Force Capt. Wesley Rumble, now stationed at George Air Force Base, Calif., is another. He spent 15 months as a prisoner, calls it "the worst thing I've ever lived through" and insists "The worst thing about it was the forced boredom and the deliberate cutting of communication with the outside and among prisoners."

Overly, Frishman and Rumble are three of nine American prisoners so far released by Hanoi. The United States believes that 378 men, perhaps as many as 500, possibly many more, are being held captive among about 1,500 listed as missing in Indochina since 1964. Hanoi has refused to give an accounting of its war prisoners.

Hanoi justifies its treatment of the men—or rather its refusal to honor provisions of the Geneva Convention of 1949—on grounds that they are "war criminals" and thus not entitled to the convention's protections.

"They certainly treated us like criminals," Overly said. "The Hanoi Hilton is not a PW camp as Americans have come to think of them. It's an actual

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tify only after the administration's investigation was complete and President Nixon's findings had been made public. Since neither condition was fulfilled, the spokesman added, Macomber didn't go.

Shortly before Macomber's scheduled appearance in Capitol Hill, the White House disclosed new guidelines it said would insure no recurrence of "a shocking incident of this kind" but declined to discuss details of this case it said still is being investigated.

That development came about the time the Soviet embassy in Washington said the sailor—who jumped to a U. S. Coast Guard cutter to plead for political sanctuary but was seized by Soviet crewmen who boarded the American vessel with U. S. permission—had stolen money from his captain's safe and had deserted.

"The attempt to give this case a political interpretation and to present as a martyr the criminal who tried to escape responsibility," the Soviet statement added, "cannot be viewed otherwise than as another hostile anti-Soviet propaganda effort. This can only be regretted."

The incident took place off Martha's Vineyard on the Massachusetts coast Nov. 23 when a Soviet trawler was moored alongside the Coast Guard cutter Vigilant for talks about coastal fishing rights.

On Capitol Hill, the House hearing for the State Department spokesman was re-set for Monday, Hays said, "and if they haven't released Mr. Macomber from captivity, I'm going to ask the (committee) chairman to issue a subpoena."

Hays contended Congress is not getting an opportunity to find out what happened, what role the State Department played, and whether Coast Guard personnel were permitted to make foreign policy.

Rep. F. Bradford Morse, R-Mass., a fellow committee member, agreed "Congress has a right to know" the facts—but said he understands Macomber will appear at a hearing "as soon as he has facts in hand."

At the White House, presidential press secretary Ronald L. Ziegler said new instructions call for every possible protection for those seeking sanctuary in the United States.

"Under no circumstances," say the revamped instructions on handling defectors, "should a person asking asylum be arbitrarily or summarily returned to foreign jurisdiction or control" pending a determination of the situation.

Ziegler said Nixon is reviewing reports of the incident and has directed the secretaries of state and transportation to take "immediate remedial action to insure that there will never be a recurrence of a shocking incident of this kind."

In a related development, State Department press officer John F. King said the United States has told Russia to postpone Saturday's scheduled visit of the Soviet research vessel Akademik Kurchatov to Boston because "we felt the visit would be inopportune at this time."

Although this appeared on the surface to be retaliation for Russia's role in the defector incident, officials refused to support such an interpretation and there was some indication the government was worried about an antagonistic public reaction.

prison, a penitentiary, a place to keep felons."

Actually, Overly explained, the Hanoi Hilton is three prisons, all nearly identical and all in separate locations in downtown Hanoi. Overly spent time in all three and said the routine was the same at each.

"The light bulb was kept burning in each cell 24 hours a day," Overly recalled. "There was never any sense of day or night and never any feeling of more fatigue at one time than at another."

During the long periods of waiting, he said, the men—to a cell, sometimes three, sometimes only one—took turns pacing the floor for exercise. They had to take turns because there was only room between the bunks for one man to walk. Bunk is not an accurate term. The beds, Overly said, were simply three 6-inch-wide planks laid across two sawhorses.

The routine was interrupted from time to time for interrogation sessions and other activities, most of which were accompanied by beatings and insults.

But Overly and the others emphasized that the mental anguish, the "enforced inactivity"

Range Demonstration



Melba Doyle, home service advisor for the Arkansas Power and Light Co. gave a demonstration on use of an electric range to five local Homemaking classes. Miss Doyle prepared and served a buffet meal to 76 girls.



the national report on what's happening

By ROGER DOUGHTY

PICKING APPLES—Turns out that 1970 may yet end on a nice note (or notes, in this case) thanks to the friendly folks at Apple Records, the home of the Beatles.

What with John, Paul, George and Ringo having spilled during '70 it looked like a bleak Christmas for rock fans, but Apple has come up with the next best thing to reuniting the Beatles—they've given us Badfinger (Mike Gibbons, Joe Molland, Pete Ham and Tom Evans).

If you really dug the Beatles (as most of us did) you may be instantly turned on by the fact that Badfinger sounds just like the Liverpool lads. Then again, you may be instantly turned off, figuring they're just a cheap imitation. They're the guys who did "Come and Get It," the theme from the Ringo-Peter Sellers flick, "Magical Christmas," but that disc didn't do them justice.

Now they're very much into what's going on with a new LP, No Dice. There's nothing here but pure no-gimmick rock, both fast and slow. Their hit single, "No Matter What" (which sounds so much like the Beatles' '65 it's uncanny) is here, along with 11 other good ones (you don't find many LPs with 12 cuts any more, but this is one of them) and the level of performance on every number is so high that it's up to the standard of the Beatles in every department.

The guys wrote all the material and Pete Ham, although he isn't in the Lennon-McCartney class quite yet, seems to have the kind of talent for getting it all down on paper that John and Paul had in happier days.

In addition to "No Matter What," we especially liked "Bloodwyn," "Better Days," "Midnight Caller" and "Without You."

To make a long story a little bit shorter, if you're only going to get one record for Christmas, make it this one. This could be the group of the '70s.

HIGH C—An interesting item from Pan Am, the airline folks, who say that if you've got a C-plus average in school you're eligible to receive a new air credit card that they're offering students. Nobody has yet explained why C-plus students are good credit risks and C-minus students aren't, but that's the way it is.

RIGHT ON, OMAHA—What with a road company of "1776" playing in Omaha, a history teacher there was inspired enough to have his students take mimeographed copies of the Declaration of Independence to a local shopping center where they tried to solicit signatures. There was no title on the paper and the shoppers solicited weren't informed that it was the Declaration; they were just asked to read it and sign it. Four-fifths of 274 shoppers approached refused to sign. Some said they didn't have time to read it but most who did said it was far too revolutionary for their tastes. One lady identified the document as the Declaration, but wouldn't sign because she said she thought the founding father revolutionaries went too far. Most people didn't even realize what they were reading, figuring it must have something to do with Vietnam. We offer no editorial comment. Draw your own conclusions.

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as he put it, and the isolation of the men from one another caused more suffering than the physical torture.

"Of course my cellmates and I got on each other's nerves a lot," Overly said. "After a time we knew every minute thing about each other, our past experiences, our ideas on every subject, and about once a week we'd have one hell of a row. It was therapeutic."

"But there were tender moments too," he said, his voice lowering. "We prayed together. At least three times a day."

Propaganda broadcasts, dubbed Hanoi Hannah, consisted of repeated assertions that America would eventually withdraw from Vietnam because the

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senators—Warren G. Magnuson and Henry M. Jackson—whose home state of Washington is the headquarters of the economically depressed Boeing aircraft company, prime SST contractor.

The vote drew 18 Republicans and a number of Southern conservatives into the anti-SST camp and most observers found only one basic explanation:

An overriding concern with protecting the environment in an atmosphere in which the SST had become, rightly or wrongly, a symbol of unplanned progress and misplaced national priorities.

The debate that preceded the vote was a catalogue of potential environmental, economic and political criticism.

Scientific fears were aired that the SST's sonic booms would cause avalanches and kill sea birds; that its exhaust in the upper atmosphere would change global weather and cause chemical reactions that could increase the cases of skin cancer on earth; and that its noise at airports would equal 50 subsonic jets, so loud all homes in a 15-mile radius would have to be soundproofed.

Critics such as Proxmire called the government's contract with Boeing and the General Electric Corp., a "sweetheart arrangement" sure to drain billions in tax dollars into the biggest and most costly boondoggle in national history.

On every point, the SST's backers could hardly find new phrases to express their disagreement.

Jackson told the Senate: "I have seen absolutely no evidence that SST operations will adversely affect our environment."

And Sen. Gordon Allott, R-Colo., declared: "It is quite clear that unless the SST is built our hold on the world aircraft market is doomed."

Magnuson said defeat of the SST funds probably ends the opportunity to create up to 200,000 new jobs. He said the vote may mean the Soviet Union and the French-British team building European versions of the SST probably will dominate the future high-speed air market.

A representative of General Electric, which had been chosen to design and build the world's largest jet engines for SST use, said hope is still alive the House will stick with its earlier approval of the SST and that the conference will ignore the Senate vote.

But Rep. Henry Reuss, D-Wis., like Proxmire a longtime SST foe, said he will call for a record vote to instruct House conferees to go along with the Senate's action. He said the measure almost certainly will be approved.

Proxmire gave much credit for the victory to the highly organized lobbying efforts of a coalition of environmental and conservation groups.

And he added: "On top of everything else, I see this vote as a sign of the concern—amounting almost to anger—in the Senate over President Nixon's veto of the appropriations bill that provided vitally needed money for better housing, health care and education."

The SST when first proposed in the administration of the late President John F. Kennedy was to cost no more than \$750 million to see the development program through the production of two prototypes.

Proxmire said the latest request for \$290 million would have boosted federal funds for the 300-passenger, 1,800-mile an hour craft past the \$1 billion level and warned that the end of federal spending probably wasn't in sight.

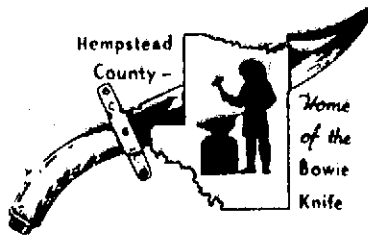
Whatever the reasons for defeat, there were powerful forces working to assure the SST survived its Senate test.

The Federal Aviation Administration, the SST office in the Department of Transportation, the Surgeon General's Office, the White House and representatives of Boeing all supplied the technical data and support to bolster arguments of SST backers.

Wednesday, the day before the final vote, Magnuson ushered through the Senate a separate bill designed to soothe the fears of undecided and wavering senators.

The bill, passed 77 to 0, would ban over the 50 states all flights capable of producing sonic booms; order SST takeoff and landing noise reduced, and direct the Transportation Department to report fully on all aspects of the development program—including environmental impact—before full commercial production would be authorized.

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Cambodia Poses Fight in Congress

By CARL P. LEUBSDORF
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WASHINGTON (AP) — Sena-

tors favoring restrictions on U.S. involvement in Cambodia may be headed for another collision with House backers of President Nixon's policies for that embattled Southeast Asian nation.

With an earlier Senate move to restrict U.S. actions in Cambodia—the Cooper-Church Amendment—stale-mated by the House, committees of both chambers took potentially contradictory steps Thursday.

The Senate Appropriations Committee, citing the 58-37 vote last June for the Cooper-Church restrictions, added a ban on U.S. combat ground troops for Cambodia to one enacted last year covering Laos and Thailand.

The full Senate is expected to go along next week.

The House Foreign Affairs Committee, meanwhile, overwhelmingly approved a \$550 million supplemental foreign aid bill that includes \$155 million asked by President Nixon for economic and military aid to Cambodia.

It rejected proposed reductions and restrictions on the aid including a prohibition of U.S. troops in Cambodia, before sending the bill to the floor where approval is virtually certain.

But the aid request faces tough going in the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, scheduled to open hearings on it next Thursday. Secretary of State William P. Rogers will testify before the committee in open session for the first time in more than 18 months.

The Senate committee action came with approval of a \$66.4 billion defense money bill, \$389 million less than the House voted and \$2.3 billion less than the Nixon administration requested.

The committee cut back to the \$300 million budget level for the Vietnamization program to beef up South Vietnam's army. The House had added \$58.5 million and had given the Pentagon authority to transfer an additional \$150 million.

The \$66.4 billion is \$6.2 billion below the amount voted by Congress for the Pentagon last year. But the Appropriations Committee said the reduction will only be \$4.6 billion when funds are provided later for pay raises that are already in effect.

The committee said it based the ban on ground combat troops for Cambodia on the Senate action in passing the Cooper-Church Amendment to the military sales authorization bill.

But Sen. Allen Ellender, D-La., acting as committee chairman in place of ailing Sen. Richard B. Russell, D-Ga., said he wasn't sure the proviso would prevent President Nixon from ordering a repetition of last April's U.S. attack into the Communist sanctuaries in Cambodia.

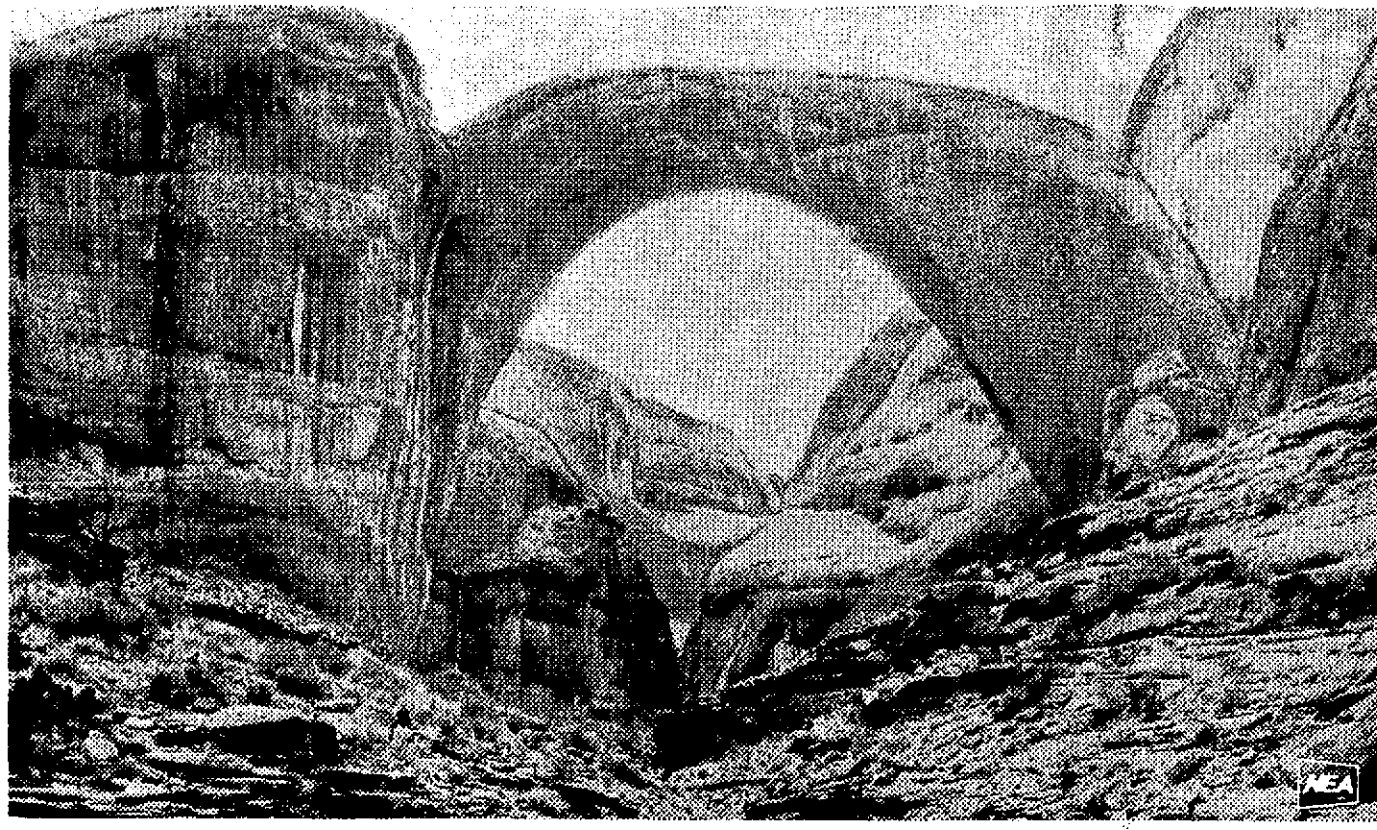
Two Accidents Investigated

Two accidents were investigated by Hope City Police yesterday, one south on Highway 29 involving vehicles driven by Billy Joe Chism and Randall R. Smith. There was damage to both vehicles. No charges were made by City Officer Shirley.

At Walnut and 6th cars driven by J. E. McWilliams and Jerry Don Martin collided with minor damage resulting. City Officer Neal charged McWilliams with failure to yield the right-of-way.

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SHOPPING DAYS
TILL CHRISTMAS



CONSERVATIONISTS FEAR that instead of gold, there may be water at the end of the Rainbow. They warn that Utah's Rainbow Bridge, world's largest natural stone bridge, may be awash in a man-made lake within a year if Lake Powell is permitted to rise another 53 feet. Two conservation groups, the Friends of the Earth and the Wasatch Mountain Club of Utah, have filed suit against the Department of the Interior and the Bureau of Reclamation, asking them to regulate the flow of water into the lake. Otherwise, they predict, water erosion, which formed the massive arch, may one day destroy it. Rainbow spans 278 feet and stands 309 feet high, nearly large enough to frame the U.S. Capitol.

Defector Issue Irks Congressman

By CARL C. CRAFT
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — The head of a House subcommittee investigating the Lithuanian defector incident, angered by a State Department official's failure to show for a hearing, says he will act to subpoena witnesses if necessary.

Rep. Wayne L. Hays, D-Ohio, accused the Nixon administration of freezing the appearance by Deputy Undersecretary of State William J. Macomber Jr. and delaying congressional investigation in the case of the asylum-seeking sailor forcibly returned to a Soviet vessel.

During a 15-minute hearing by the Foreign Affairs subcommittee Thursday, the witness chair remained vacant. Saying he could only guess at the reason, Hays told reporters:

"It's maybe that this is such a bad thing that it is going to take the White House some time to get all its people rehearsed with their proper stories."

In reply, a State Department spokesman later said Macomber accepted the request to testify.

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Memory Won't Desert a Man, It Consoles When Trouble Comes

By HAL BOYLE
NEWYORK (AP) — Memory is man's best friend.

It can't lend him money, but it won't desert him in extremity. It consoles him when he's in trouble, and when he doubts his own worth, at least it can pat him on the back and tell him what a great guy he used to be when the world was younger.

You have a good store for memories if you can look back and remember when—

Bob Hope was a vaudeville headliner.

Every home Christmas tree was a potential torch, because it was lit by candles, not electric lights.

Rural families kept in touch with the outside world by reading the Saturday Evening Post and studying the illustrations in the latest mail order catalog.

The FBI spent most of its time catching kidnapers and bank robbers.

If you were poor and had rich relatives, one of your family chores was to break in their new shoes for them.

In a small town you could become a celebrity and a local landmark merely by buying a toupee. It was commented on daily by the inhabitants and pointed out to visiting strangers as something really worth seeing.

When a wife put her first set of Venetian blinds in the window, everybody knew her husband.

Diplomat Released by Canadian Kidnapers, Cuba Grants Asylum

MONTREAL (AP) — British envoy James Richard Cross was freed today after spending 60 days in a windowless room watched over around the clock by Quebec separatists armed with submachine guns.

Despite his long ordeal, a doctor's report said Cross was "in excellent" condition, except for the loss of 22 pounds due to the poor quality of food he was fed.

Cuban intermediaries handed Cross over after the Canadian government flew his captors to political asylum in Cuba. Cross was driven to the Jewish General Hospital for a checkup.

In a taped interview on television, Cross declared: "It's almost like being out of hell—perhaps purgatory would be a better expression."

He referred to all the days since his abduction Oct. 5 when he never saw the sun.

"It's a small thing and suddenly you come out of a house and its a bright day like today and you suddenly realize how much a little thing like that, that costs you nothing, means in one's day to day life," he said.

The British trade commissioner in Montreal described his captivity as "a state of suspended animation."

He spent a great deal of time

watching television with his captors and estimated he had seen more than 160 films on television.

The exchange for Cross took place at the site of the Expo 67 world's fair.

Premier Robert Bourassa, who talked with Cross, said the British diplomat would fly to Europe today or Saturday.

Cross has high blood pressure, but the doctors said this condition was not affected by his ordeal. They said they expected him to remain at the hospital "for at least a day," and a more thorough examination would be made.

His wife, waiting in Bern, Switzerland, for news of her husband, said she hoped to be reunited with him Saturday in London.

"I am deliriously happy after these long weeks of tension," she said. "But I never gave up hope."

Cross telephoned her Thursday night after he was delivered to the Cubans. He told her "he had seen 162 French films on television," and this improved his understanding of the language. But he said he spoke very little with his captors.

"The kidnapers gave him a good collection of revolutionary literature, but it's very unlikely he was converted," Mrs. Cross said.

9 Students Pass LPN Examinations

Red River Vocational Technical School has received communication from the National League of Nursing and Arkansas State Board of Nursing Examiners that seven Hempstead County Memorial Hospital and two Branch General Hospital Practical Nurse Students have passed the National Examination for Licensed Practical Nursing. The Hempstead Memorial students who passed included:

Mrs. Pat Pennington, Mrs. Virginia Culley, Mrs. Carolyn Chamberlain and Mrs. Mary Purtle of Hope; Mrs. Jacqueline Marsh and Mrs. Iris Corley of McCaskill; and Mrs. Hazle Jordan of Ozan. Branch General Hospital students passing included: Mrs. Estelle Stelter of Nashville and Mrs. Sara Jones of Whelen Springs.

Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Pennington were two of the four students from the school who made above 600 on the 750-point test. Mrs. Hazel Underwood, R.N., was instructor of the one-year course. The students spend four months at Red River Vocational Technical School and eight months in the affiliated hospital.

The nine who passed have been designated Licensed Practical Nurses according to J.W. Rowe, Director of the school.

Radicals Are Seized Before Bank Bombed

By RICHARD BOUDREAUX
Associated Press Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Police said they seized six Weatherman radicals today who detectives said were preparing to fire bomb an East Side bank in commemoration of a Chicago police raid a year ago when Black Panther leader Fred Hampton and another Panther were killed.

The six, whose activities had been closely watched by detectives since September, were seized outside the First National City Bank on Madison Avenue at East 91st Street.

Detectives said they had followed the weathermen as they rode in taxicabs to the bank and prepared to light fuses on large milk bottles containing gasoline.

As two detectives watched from an unmarked car, four others, posing as drunks in tattered clothing, moved in and seized four young persons holding the homemade explosives and two others serving as lookouts, the police said.

One of the weathermen told detectives the attempt was the "first of a series of bombings to celebrate the murder of Fred Hampton." He said a New York City target was chosen "because President Nixon is coming here."

The President is due in New York to speak at a meeting of the National Association of Manufacturers tonight.

Detectives said the six weathermen were all in their 20s.

One of the six seized in the 3:15 a.m. incident was identified by detectives as Robin Palmer. The others were not at once identified.

Discrimination Suits Filed in Arkansas

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Nixon administration took court action Thursday aimed at protecting the rights of Negroes in four deep South states, citing a school and three establishments in separate states.

The Justice Department filed suit against the owners of an Atlanta, Ga., apartment complex and the Career Academy of Georgia, Inc. on alleged violations of the 1968 Fair Housing Act.

Restaurants in Arkansas and Mississippi and a tavern in Texas were charged with civil rights violations in suits filed against them.

The Arkansas suit, filed in Little Rock, charges Roy B. Lambert, operator of the Rex Motel Restaurant in West Helena with refusing to provide equal accommodations to Negroes and to whites in the company of Negroes.

In each case, the Justice Department seeks court orders banning further discrimination.

Senate Deals Stunning and Perhaps Fatal Blow to SST Project

By LAWRENCE L. KNUTSON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — More concerned with the environment than appeals to technological progress, the Senate has dealt a stunning and perhaps fatal setback to the supersonic transport, the plane President Nixon wants as the flagship of the nation's global jet fleet.

Backers of the SST project, trying to rally from the shock of Thursday's 52-41 vote to kill \$290 million in federal SST subsidy money, said they would try to salvage at least part of the program in a House-Senate conference.

The victors, savoring the taste of their 11-vote triumph, say there is little chance the Senate or even the House would now approve a conference report containing any of the \$290 million appropriation originally earmarked to continue work on two SST prototypes.

It was a personal victory for Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., who in two previous tries could muster no more than 23 votes to stop the project he has called an environmental monster, an economic ship of fools, and a flying white elephant.

And it was a personal defeat for the President who had mustered his personal influence and the weight of the executive branch to save a program he called essential to the future of the American aviation industry.

The loss was particularly bitter for two powerful Democratic

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Skyscraper Fire Kills 4 in New York

NEW YORK (AP) — A four-alarm fire filled a Third Avenue skyscraper with smoke today, killing three persons and injuring 14, including five policemen and three firemen.

Hundreds of persons trapped in the 50-story building were evacuated by firemen. Firemen smashed windows on all sides of the glass-walled structure and smoke poured from upper and lower floors.

Fire Commissioner Robert O. Lowery said the blaze started in the fifth-floor offices of a carpet company. All the dead were apparently building service employees who had gone to fight the blaze.

Michael J. Maye, president of the Uniformed Firefighters Association, called the modern building a "glass menagerie."

All Around Town

By The Star Staff

The weekly report from the Corps of Engineers on Millwood lake shows the pool elevation slightly below normal at 259.10 feet with a discharge of 920 cubic feet of water per second...the water is rising to pool normal and is clear...during November 114,600 persons visited the lake...bass are taking Beetle Spins, Little George and Hot Spots real good in Saline River...crappie are also taking Beetle Spins and minnows in Little River Cut-off.

The final night of the Lions Club auction will be tonight from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. on KXAR...the first two nights have brought out over 125 at one time in the Citizens Bank Lobby...the auction is going well with sales of \$873.72 the opening night and \$974.50 last night...tonight's auction will need to exceed \$1,200 in order to reach the goal of \$3,000...Lion President Austin Hutson urges all citizens to either listen or come by and bid and buy to make this community effort a big success...proceeds provide baskets for about 150 families annually and this year special attention will be given to patients in nursing homes...your purchase will help.

Arkansas Tech's Choir, directed by C.W. Heifer, will present "Messiah" at 3 p.m.

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"Dr. Faustus" by Christopher Marlowe, will be presented by the University of Arkansas Theater Dec. 7-12 in the Arts Center theater...the cast includes Clifford Langford of Hope.

Mrs. W.B. Ruggles of Hope underwent surgery Thursday in St. Vincent's Hospital in Little Rock...she is in Room 638.

The University of Arkansas Division of Continuing Education will conduct its 18th Institute of Legislative Procedures in the House Chamber, State Capitol, Little Rock on December 14-15...the faculty for the institute includes Senator Olen Hendrix of Prescott.

A charge of driving a vehicle with expired license has been dropped against a driver of one of Grover Thompson's chicken trucks which was involved in an accident earlier this week, City Police said.

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